THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair.

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MEDIATORS CONTEMPLATE ELIMINATION OF HUERTA

Establishment of a Provisional Government in Mexico In Which Both the Huerta and the Constitutionalist Factions Will Be Represented Is Plan of South American Diplomats Trying to Settle the Three-Cornered Difficulty.

BOMBARDMENT CONTINUES.

Washington, May 12.—Bombardment of Tampico by Constitutionalist artillery was in progress at 9:30 o'clock tonight, according to a relayed wireless report to the Navy Department from Rear Admiral Badger. German and Dutch cruisers, which have been in the river, withdrew during the day.

Late dispatches to the Navy Department threw no light on the situation at Tampico. Admiral Mayo's report said that artillery fire had been continuous all day and made no mention of the part being played by the Federal gunners.

Washington, May 12.—Elimination of Gen. Huerta and the establishment of a provisional government in Mexico in which both the Huerta and the Constitutionalist factions would be represented, is contemplated in a plan which the three South American mediators now are working out to be proposed for the solution of the entire Mexican problem.

This, the first intimation as to the details of the mediation plans, became known tonight, though neither the mediators nor State Department officials would make any statement as to how nearly complete is the plan to be submitted to the American and the Mexican delegates when they meet the South American envoys at Niagara Falls, Canada, next Monday.

It was learned that the proposal might be the setting up of a temporary government be undertaken by a commission of five persons, two of them to be named by Huerta, two by the Constitutionalists and the fifth by the mediators.

While the mediators have withdrawn their invitation to the Constitutionalists to send delegates to the conference, it generally is believed that information is being sought as to whether the Constitutionalists would consent in case of the elimination of Huerta to some form of temporary government in which he would be represented. Those close to the mediators say, it is believed, that some such arrangements as this is the only possible one under which peace may be restored in Mexico under conditions satisfactory to all Mexican factions and to the United States.

Confidence in Mediators.

Expressions of confidence that the mediators would avert war between the United States and Mexico came from several members of the cabinet today, after President Wilson had discussed the whole situation with his official family.

The President is decidedly hopeful. He is anxious that no untoward incidents or indiscreet acts on the part of any of the forces in Mexico should develop to cloud the horizon when the mediation conferences begin at Niagara Falls Monday.

Secretary Bryan in a conference late in the day explained at length to the three South American mediators that the lighthouse on Lobos Island had not been seized in any military sense; that the keepers were free to come and go, but that the American navy had undertaken to keep the lights burning as a protection to the world's navigation. Mr. Bryan told the mediators also that the Navy and War Departments were seeking to investigate the arrest of five South Americans accused of sniping by Americans during the landing at Vera Cruz, and that a report would be made probably tomorrow.

Nelson O'Shaughnessy conferred with President Wilson at the White House tonight. It was the first talk he had had with the President since his arrival from Mexico and it is understood that some of the indignities, including the Tampico incident which led to the break with Huerta, were discussed as well as some details that might come up in the mediation conferences.

Justice Lamar, of the United States Supreme Court, and Frederick W. Lehmann, former solicitor general, who have been named as the American representatives to the arbitration conference at Niagara Falls, spent the day studying reports and familiarizing themselves generally with the Mexican problem.

It was announced that Vice Consul Silliman has been ordered released by the Huerta government.

Consider Protests.

The mediators were more occupied in considering the protests made by Huerta against the seizure of Lobos Island and the detention of the five South Americans than on the general subject of American pacification. They have had some misgivings about Silliman, but were confident tonight that he would get away unharmed.

Jules Jusserand, the French ambassador, called on Secretary Bryan to convey to him information from Mexico City which indicated that Consul Silliman is still under guard in Saltillo. This preceded receipt of news, however, that Huerta had ordered Silliman released.

Reports from the Mexican government to the French embassy did not specifically mention Consul Silliman, but said that "all members of the American consulate in Saltillo are safe."

The last dispatches from the French charge in Mexico said that all was quiet in Mexico City.

From a military point of view the outstanding feature of the day was a report from General Funston, of the forces at Vera Cruz. No trouble was apprehended, he said, the Federal forces having given no sign of intention to attack the outlying position at the waterworks. Movements of troops in this direction have not been noticed and even in case of attack the American position could not be taken by force.

General Funston has re-arranged his line and posted sentries along the aqueduct to prevent raiders from cutting it. It became known that President Wilson's sanction for the war preparations extends only to emergencies. Secretary Garrison has been given permission to charter several transports and have big forces of troops in readiness to reinforce General Funston.

Tampico was under bombardment by the Constitutionalists the entire day. Admiral Mayo, commanding the American ships lying off that port, reported that artillery fire had been in progress since 9 o'clock this morning. Whether the Federals or Constitutionalists was gaining was not stated.

British Ship to Tampico.

The British consul, which nation is heavily interested at Tampico during the day ordered another warship to reinforce the British squadron in Mexican waters, the cruiser Bristol receiving sailing orders for Tampico. The ship carries a vrew of nearly 400 men and her light draft would permit her to run up the Panuco river to Tampico and if necessary land men to protect British oil wells.

A small squad of marines from the Holland cruiser Kortenar is ashore at the Holland owned wells, according to reports, which are operated by Holland representatives.

From the Pacific coast came a report that desultory fighting continued at Mazatlan between Gen. Obregon, Constitutionalists and the Federal garrison.

The Federal garrison at San Blas, a port 125 miles further south, had evacuated the town, it was reported. The garrison moved, it was declared, in the direction of Mexico City, the inference being given that Huerta was drawing in available troops to assist him in maintaining himself in the capital.

Acapulco, a Pacific port directly south of Mexico City, was the scene of fighting between a Federal garrison and roving bands of Zapatistas

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O'SHAUGHNESSY TELLS WILSON ABOUT MEXICO

Denies Huerta the Drunkard He Has Been Painted.

But Tells President That Mexican Dictator Is Not Likely to Give Up His Job—Wilson More Determined Than Ever.

Washington, May 12. — Nelson O'Shaughnessy, charge d'affaires of the American embassy at Mexico City, tonight told President Wilson the story of what happened in the Mexican capital during the days immediately preceding and following the occupation of Vera Cruz and gave him an intimate picture of General Huerta.

It was the first time Mr. O'Shaughnessy had seen the President since his arrival in Washington last week. He was at the White House for more than an hour, and went away highly pleased with his reception.

The charge advised the President that Huerta was a hard man and not apt to yield his position as dictator easily. He expressed the opinion, however, that any government set up in Mexico which has the support of the United States will stand.

After he left the White House, Mr. O'Shaughnessy intimated that he believed President Wilson had a broad and firm view of the Mexican question. He quickly disposed of reports that he believed he had been badly treated by the administration. The President thanked him, he said, for his services in Mexico, and expressed approval of his course. No other post has been offered the charge, and he indicated that he expected to be allowed to take an extended vacation in the United States.

It is understood that Mr. O'Shaughnessy's account of General Huerta was such as to strengthen, if possible, the President's determination to force the elemination of the Mexican dictator. He denied, however, that General Huerta was the drunkard that he has

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TOLLS REPEAL VOTE IS TWO WEEKS OFF

Senator Hoke Smith Speaks in Favor of Repeal.

SAYS TAFT WAS WRONG

In Supposing That Democrats Voted for Free Tolls to Give Subsidy to Coastwise Vessels—Long Debate on the Floor.

Washington, D. C., May 12.—It became known today that the Senate can not reach a vote on the proposed Panama tolls repeal exemption for at least ten days or two weeks. A half dozen Senators have announced their intention to speak on the tolls question and several more gave similar notice today. It is probable that fifteen will have to be heard and under the present arrangement, with only one Senator speaking each day, action on the repeal bill is far in the future.

In the three hours it gave to tolls today the Senate listened to a speech by Senator Hoke Smith, who favors repeal, and to a debate between Senators Borah and Williams, over regulations governing the Welland Canal, which led to a dispute between the United States and Great Britain several years ago.

Summarizing his objections to exemption, Senator Smith contended that:

"The coastwise vessels will naturally stop at the ports of Cuba, Mexico, Central America, Panama, and, perhaps, elsewhere. Their cargoes will not be limited exclusively to bona fide coastwise traffic of the United States.

"Traffic from foreign countries will be unloaded at ports of the United States to be immediately re-loaded in a coastwise vessel for passage through

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SUPPRESSION IS ONLY CURE FOR SOCIAL EVIL

Regulation is a Failure Wherever Tried.

Says Miss Maude E. Minor, Chairman of Committee on Social Hygiene, Who Gives Conference on Charities Figures.

Memphis, Tenn., May 12.—Miss Maude E. Miner, of New York, as chairman of the committee on Social Hygiene, told the National Conference on Charities and Corrections tonight that suppression was the only solution of the social evil, that regulation had proven a failure wherever attempted.

Rabbi Henry Berkowitz, of Philadelphia, another speaker, tonight declared education the most important factor in combating the evil.

Mrs. Desha Breckinridge, of Lexington, Ky., and J. B. Reynolds, of New York, also spoke tonight on the general subject of social hygiene.

In support of the contention that regulation or segregation fails to accomplish its purpose, Miss Miner recited that in 72 cities that responded to inquiries, 51 have adopted a policy of suppression and of this number 21 gave up attempts at regulation as failures within the past two years. In no city, she says, has suppression been given up for regulation.

"In telling of these changes," Miss Miner declared, "police officials spoke of the impossibility of carrying out the rules imposed upon them under a system of regulation and with but four exceptions the officials now trying to suppress the evil stated that they believed suppression the best method of dealing with vice in their cities.

Rabbi Berkowitz, who as a member of the Philadelphia Vice Commission conducted an investigation in Europe as well as in this country, declared the system of regulation "rests on a false basis of a double standard of morals which condones in men what it condemns in women."

"The social evil is a problem of ages," the speaker said, "but it faces our age with a seriousness it never bore to any previous generation because of the revelations of science. It has become imperative for us to educate the next generation to safeguard life, health and character."

He gave warning against the "dangers of a crude educational propaganda" and denounced the "mad rage for publicity which in places like moving pictures and novels is coining money for managers while robbing our youth of the reserves of modesty, purity and the sense of shame."

Lessons of social purity should be impressed in the homes, he declared. "How to educate parents for this responsibility is the real problem," Rabbi Kerkowitz asserted.

At a business session of the conference today officers were elected. Mrs. John M. Glenn, of New York, was selected to succeed Prof. Graham Taylor, of Chicago, as president. Baltimore had already been named as the next meeting place.

Washington, May 12.—Despite arguments that the Federal migratory bird law is unconstitutional, the Senate today defeated all efforts to cut down the $50,000 in the Agricultural appropriation bill for its enforcement. Final action on the proposition will probably be taken tomorrow.

ORDER RELEASE OF CONSUL SILLIMAN

Huerta Claims He Aided Rebel Cause.

FEAR FOR AMERICANS

Archbishop of Mexico Leaves for Rome to Lay Mexican Question Before Pope—Non-Combatants in Grave Danger.

Mexico City, May 12.—Acting Foreign Minister Ruiz today telegraphed the South American mediators at Washington that the American vice consul, Silliman, under arrest at Saltillo, charged with aiding the rebels, had been ordered sent to Mexico City under guard to be delivered to the Brazilian minister for return to the United States.

The message said: "Referring to the telegram of your excellencies in regard to Mr. Silliman, consul at Saltillo, I have the honor to inform you that notwithstanding the acts of said consul against Federal forces, it has already been ordered that he be sent to Mexico City, under proper guard, and placed at the disposition of the Brazilian minister in accordance with the desire expressed by him in order to arrange for the return of said Silliman to the United States.

"The Mexican foreign office hopes that your excellencies may see in this action of the government a further proof of its fulfilling its international obligations and of its showing to the friendly nations the considerations which they merit. I beg to reiterate to your excellencies the assurances of my high consideration.

"A. ESTAVA RUEZ."

Fear for Non-Combatants.

Vera Cruz, May 12.—The Most Rev.

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TO LIMIT LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM IN CONGRESS

Action of House Democratic Caucus Last Night.

Anti-Trust Measures and Appropriation Bills Are All That Will be Handled—Rural Credits Goes Over to Winter.

Washington, May 12.—House Democrats in caucus tonight voted to limit the legislative programme for the remainder of this session to anti-trust measures and appropriation bills. Rural credits will go over until next Winter.

Of the 230 members who attended the caucus, not more than twenty voted against the programme. The majority leader, Oscar W. Underwood, outlined the administration's plans, and stated that the work of the session was being curtailed "in the hope of an adjournment of Congress by July 10th."

President Wilson had suggested to House leaders earlier in the evening that no attempt be made to pass rural credits at this session.

The caucus voted to have the House devote the next two weeks to consideration of the anti-trust bill, the Rayburn measure for central control of railroad securities. The appropriation bills will then be taken up.

The prohibition and woman suffrage proposed constitutional amendments were not considered by the caucus on the ground that they were not party measures. This, however, does not preclude their consideration in the House, if they are reached after the programme as arranged, has been disposed of.

BANKS NOW ENTERING NEW AND GREATER ERA

Prediction of Sec. Grimes In Welcoming Address.

State Bankers' Association Meets In Annual Convention in Raleigh—Preliminaries Over, Business Sessions Today.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 12.—The preliminary welcoming ceremonies for the eighteenth annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association took place tonight with a record-breaking attendance of nearly 300, and great numbers of other bankers on their way to be on hand for the business sessions Wednesday and Thursday.

President George A. Holderness, of Tarboro, presided, and there were addresses of welcome on the part of the State, the city and the commercial organizations and a fitting response by State Senator Walter E. Daniel, of Weldon, on the part of the bankers.

Hon. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of

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SOUTH CAROLINA LAWYER KILLED

John M. Cannon Shot by a Farmer at Gray Court.

BOTH WERE PROMINENT

Cannon Was Judge Advocate on Staff of Governor Blease and Chairman of Laurens County Democratic Committee.

Gray Court, S. C., May 12.—John M. Cannon, an attorney of Laurens, S. C., and judge advocate on the staff of Governor Blease, was today shot and killed here by Joseph G. Sullivan, a farmer. A dispute arose during the trial of Sullivan's brother, before a magistrate's court, which led to the killing.

Cannon was chairman of the Laurens county Democratic executive committee and one of the political leaders in his section.

The parties walked from the court room in front of the depot where a dispute arose between Sullivan and Cannon. Sullivan drew a revolver and fired five times, four shots taking effect in Cannon's body. Sullivan was arrested immediately and taken to the Laurens county jail. The body of Mr. Cannon was also taken to Laurens where the funeral will be held tomorrow. Both men are prominently connected in politics of this State. Mr. Sullivan was defeated two years ago for House of Representatives and is from one of the best families of the State. Mr. Cannon is chairman of the County Democratic Club, a member of Governor Blease's staff and was recently appointed a regent of the State hospital. The killing has caused a profound sensation in South Carolina.

MELLEN AND OTHERS WILL NOT BE CALLED

To Testify Before Inter-State Commerce Commission.

Baker and Others Connected With the Road Financially Wanted Immunity From Prosecution If They Testified.

Washington, May 12.—Indications tonight were that Charles Mellen, former president, and Lewis Cass Ledyard, William Rockefeller, George F. Baker and George Macculloch Miller, directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, would not be called on to testify in the Inter-State Commerce Commission's inquiry into the financial operations of the New Haven and the Billard Company.

Attorney General McReynolds, while declining to make any statement concerning his attitude toward the examination of these witnesses by the commission, if made. Joseph W. Folk, chief counsel for the commission, said that he disapproved of it at this time.

It is known, too, that members of the commission doubt the advisability of putting these witnesses on the stand lest the evidence they give should render them immune from any prosecution that might be considered necessary.

The attorney general conferred briefly with the Senate committee on examination of Mr. Mellen and the New Haven directors, who wished immunity from prosecution.

The adjustment of the affairs of the New Haven and the Boston & Maine on which the Department of Justice has been working for several months, involving the separation of the two, is purely a civil proceeding, it has no relation with the financial affairs of the New Haven which the commission now has under investigation and department officials have explained that it would have no effect on the question as to whether there shall be prosecutions in the criminal court.

It was the intention of Chief Counsel Folk, when the hearing was adjourned today, to call Mr. Mellen probably tomorrow morning. Four of the New Haven directors were subpoenaed for tomorrow.

Mr. Ledyard addressed today's session of the inquiry and late in the afternoon participated in a lively verbal tilt with William B. Lawrence, of Boston, one of the witnesses who represents the largest individual holdings of Boston & Maine stock. Mr. Lawrence said that his family's holdings of Boston & Maine stock had depreciated nearly $1,500,000 since the absorption of the Boston & Maine by the New Haven. Mr. Ledyard challenged the accuracy of that patr of Mr. Lawrence's evidence concerning a plan of the late J. Pierpont Morgan to effect a general consolidation of railroads and express companies. He was promised an opportunity to be heard later on that matter.

Timothy E. Byrnes, one time vice president of the New Haven, concluded his testimony today. Francis H. McAdam, an investigator of the commission, testified as to the stock holdings of the various directors of the New Haven, not only in that road, but in other lines in which they were interested.

WITNESS TELLS A DIFFERENT STORY

Shapiro on Stand in Second Becker Trial.

ADDS TO TESTIMONY

Driver of Gray Murder Car Admits That Testimony at Present Trial Has More Details Than That Offered Previously.

New York, May 12.—Counsel for Charles Becker, on trial, charged with the murder of Herman Rosenthal, today obtained an admission from William Shapiro, driver of the gray murder car, that testimony he gave on direct examination at today's session was not the same he gave at the trial of the four gunmen. Then Shapiro testified, the record shows, that while driving the four gunmen to the Metropole Hotel, he heard "Dago Frank" say: "Everything is all right; Becker has the cops fixed."

At the first Becker trial Shapiro testified he heard somebody in the car make a remark about "Everything being all right." He did not name the person, however. During his direct examination today he testified that it was "Whitey Lewis" who said "Everything is allright; Becker has fixed the cops."

After being closely questioned by Becker's counsel, Shapiro finally admitted that he had told different stories. He said his testimony was the truth. He said that it was "Dago Frank" who ordered him to turn his machine toward Sixth avenue when he drew up in front of the Metropole in 43rd street. Shapiro did not remember just what he testified to at the inquest conducted by the coroner into the killing of the gambler. Shapiro became highly nervous under cross-examination. It is expected that his admission will play an important part in the trial later on.

"Jack" Rose on Stand.

"Jack" Rose, star witness for the State at the first trial, took the stand after Shapiro. He went fully into the details of the Becker conspiracy that resulted in the death of Rosenthal. He told how Becker had urged him to have the gambler "silenced" and the manner in which he got the gunmen to do the job." He also told how he had instilled a fear of a "frame up" and an arrest into the minds of the gunmen to make them murder Rosenthal, as he said, Becker demanded.

"Bald" Jack has changed but little since the former trial. He was telling his story with his eyes constantly moving, eyeing Attorney Whitman, Becker and the crowd in the court room. As he talked, his voice was nat audible in the court room, but his answers were direct and to the point.

For 15 minutes at a time he would go along in a low and listless drone giving what the State offers as the circumstances that led up to the crime. He was cross-examined this afternoon.

THOUSANDS MARCH IN BIG SHRINER PARADE

Annual Night Pageant is Resplendent in Color.

Imperial Council Will Select Next Meeting Place and Imperial Outer Guard, Only Officer to be Elected, Today.

Atlanta, Ga., May 12.—Two parades, viewed by serried thousands, were held here today by the Mystic Shrine in connection with the annual meeting of the Imperial Council.

Resplendent in Oriental costumes and headed by the bands of the various temples, the Shriner patrols, followed by the members of the different temples in formal dress, tonight marched in the annual night pageant of the order. It was estimated that more than 10,000 Shriners participated in the event. The march began at 7:30 o'clock and did not conclude until near midnight.

The morning parade, officially termed an escort to the Imperial Potentate, began promptly at 8:30 o'clock and was not concluded until noon. The day was nearly perfect. Up to the very time of starting excursion trains had poured visitors into the city until the throng was estimated as the greatest ever in Atlanta.

The Shriner patrols were resplendent as ever in their Oriental costumes.

The color scheme of the parade seemed to have been carefully studied out and the spectacle was one of ever-changing hues and shades. The representatives of all the States and cities were showered with applause and cheering, the famous $10,000,000 combined band of the California Temples coming in for a large share of the enthusiastic demonstration which continued from one end of the line of march to the other.

The Imperial Council held its first meeting today. No business, however, was transacted. Tomorrow, it is expected that the place for the 1915 meeting and the selection of an Imperial outer guard, the only officer to be elected, will be determined. San

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RESOLUTIONS ON VANDERBILT CASE

Suggest That Church Continue Fight for School.

REPORTS SUBMITTED

Education Divorced from Religion Leads to Spread of Depravity is Keynote of Report of Committee on Education.

Oklahoma City, May 12.—"Our people must be brought to see that education divorced from religion leads to the spread of depravity and the destruction of the basic element of our Christian civilization and that the distinctive mission of the church schools is the development of spiritual leadership."

This was the keynote of the representation of the committee on education submitted today to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

The committee commends the wisdom of the board of education in proposing to create a million dollar endowment, the income of which is to be used in efforts to advance Christian education. The policies of the board in bringing the charters of the church schools and colleges into conformity to the laws of the church in the matter of selection of board of trustees in endorsed and the committee recommends that the board of mission, Sunday schools and education unite in an endeavor to advance the work of Christian education and in raising $500,000 of the proposed million dollar endowment fund during the present quadrennium.

The report will be discussed later.

Resolutions Offered.

Resolutions authorizing the board of education to continue the contest for control of Vanderbilt University in the courts of Tennessee and to remove the litigation to the United States courts if necessary with power to cease to co-operate in the management of Vanderbilt if final decision is adverse and to consider proposals for the establishment of another theological school "at some point east of the Mississippi river" were presented by Rev. Dr. James Cannon, of Virgina, and James R. Pepper, of Memphis. Dr. Cannon is an advocate of church ownership and control and led the fight in Virginia involving the right of Virginia conference to confirm the trustees selected for Randolph-Macon College. Mr. Pepper is one of the four minority trustees of Vanderbilt University and a recognized leader of the laymen of the church.

The resolutions were forwarded to the committee considering the Vanderbilt situation without reading.

In connection with the establishment of a new university the resolutions would specifically instruct that "the charter of any institution so established shall guarantee the right of the general conference or some other government body of the church to determine the method of the selection of the trustees."

Another section authorizes the board of education to surrender the charter granted by the State of Tennessee in 1895, secure a charter in some other State, "and if necessary for the protection of the interests of the church to incorporate the general conference in some other State than Tennessee."

Instructions of Resolutions.

The board of education also would be instructed, if the resolutions are approved, to confirm no person as trustee of Vanderbilt University unless such person as trustee endeavor to carry out the purposes of the church in the establishment of the university and the purposes of the general conference in making contract with the board in 1898; that in the event the board of education declines to confirm any person who has been elected by the board of trust to fill a vacancy and the board of trust declines to accept such rejection as final and should re-elect the rejected person and insist that he be permitted to act as trustee the board of education would be instructed to enter suit in the courts of the United States or of Tennessee as may seem wise to the board in order to determine the rights of the church in the management of the university; that in the event the court sustains the action of the board of education, then the board shall continue to co-operate in the management of the university, but if the courts deny the right of the board of education to veto the election of a trustee and thus declare the relation of the church to be formal and not vital, then the board of education shall cease to co-operate with the board of trustees in the management of the university.

The resolution expresses "amazement and regret" because of the decision of the Tennessee court which held that the church was without direct jurisdiction over the university.

The committee on revisals today recommended no-concurrence in the memorial asking that women be given laity representation and recommended the substitution of the phrase "church of God," for the "Holy Catholic church" in the creed. Action on the report of the committee was not taken.

GODWIN ASKED TO VOTE FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Cline Asks Him to Support Bristow-Mondell Amendment.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., May 12.—Judge E. B. Cline, of the 13th judicial district, has asked Representative Godwin to support the Bristow-Mondell amendment providing for woman suffrage.

Louis R. Wilson, of Chapel Hill, will take part in the conference of school librarians to be held in connection with the American Library Association here May 25-29. P. R. A.

:: SPORTS ::

∴ STANDING OF THE MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	17	7	.708
Philadelphia	10	8	.556
New York	10	9	.526
St. Louis	11	11	.500
Washington	10	10	.500
Boston	8	11	.421
Chicago	10	14	.417
Cleveland	8	14	.364

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburgh	15	4	.789
Philadelphia	9	6	.600
Brooklyn	9	6	.600
New York	9	6	.600
Cincinnati	11	10	.524
Chicago	9	12	.429
St. Louis	7	16	.304
Boston	3	12	.200

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Baltimore	12	5	.706
St. Louis	13	9	.591
Indianapolis	10	9	.526
Chicago	11	10	.524
Brooklyn	7	8	.467
Kansas City	10	13	.435
Buffalo	7	11	.389
Pittsburgh	7	12	.368

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Washington 3; Chicago 2.
At New York 0; Detroit 4.
At Boston 7; St. Louis 0.
At Philadelphia 4; Cleveland 12.

At Pittsburgh 1; Boston 1. (10 innings.)
At St. Louis-Chicago, cold.

At Brooklyn 5; Pittsburgh 5. (10 innings.)
Other games postponed.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Chicago at Washington.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Detroit at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.

New York at Pittsburgh.
Boston at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Baltimore at Buffalo.

AMERICAN

RED SOX SHUT OUT ST. LOUIS BROWNS.

No Brown Traveled Beyond Second Base Through the Game.

Boston, May 12.—Boston shut out St. Louis 7 to 0 today in the opening game of the series. No St. Louis player got beyond second base during the game.

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Boston	203	200	00x—7 5 0

Taylor, Baumgardner, Manning and Agnew and Jenkins; Foster and Thomas.

FORMER "GIANT KILLER" SHUT OUT YANKEES.

Detroit Defeated Chance's Hopefuls Four to Nothing.

New York, May 12.—Harry Coveleskie, known since 1908 as the "Giant Killer", for his series of successes over the New York Nationals in that year, re-visited the Polo Grounds in a Detroit uniform today and shut out the New York Americans 4 to 0. Only one New Yorker reached third base. Bush played a spectacular game at short for Detroit, besides making three hits.

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New York	000	000	000—0 4 3

Coveleskie and Stanage; Schultz, Warhop, Cole and Sweeney.

BUSH FARED BADLY AT HANDS OF NAPS.

Knocked Him Off in Fifth Inning, Winning Twelve to Four.

Philadelphia, May 12.—Cleveland knocked Bush off the rubber in the fifth inning, hit Pennock hard and won today's game here today 12 to 4. Jackson led in the slugging with three singles and a double in five times at bat. Murphy, who made two singles and a triple, was the only home player who could easily solve Mitchell's delivery.

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Philadelphia	002	001	001— 4 8 4

Mitchell and Carisch; Bush, Pennock and Schang.

SENATORS TAKE FIRST IN CHICAGO SERIES.

Johnson Hit Freely in Opening But Tightened at End.

Washington, May 12.—Washington won the first game of the series with Chicago today 3 to 2 by an eighth inning rally. Johnson was hit rather freely in the early innings, but tightened up toward the close. Milan hit a home run, a two-bagger and two singles in four times at bat.

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Washington	000	001	011—3 10 1

Benz and Kahn; Johnson and Henry.

SECOND ROUND COMPLETED.

Spring Golf Tournament of Country Club Will Soon End.

The second round of the spring tournament of the Cape Fear Country Club was completed the past week and below will be found the scores made in each flight:

First Flight—F. W. Dick against J. A. Stewart, 2 and 1; J. W. Stanly against W. A. French, one up, 22 holes; C. E. Taylor against R. W. Crawford, 7 and 5; W. A. Townes against Milton Calder, 6 and 1.

Consolation—A. S. Williams won from Charles Grainger by default; T. C. White against E. A. Metts, 6 and 5; Judge George Rountree against J. H. Davis, 6 and 4; B. H. Bridgers against L. T. Moore, 4 and 3.

Second Flight — Raymond Hunt against J. W. Carmichael, 5 and 3; Jesse F. Roache against W. D. MacMillan, Jr., 3 and 2.

Third Flight—W. L. O'Neill against E. C. Holt, by default; R. W. Barker against H. C. Prince, 4 and 3.

Fourth Flight—G. G. Thomas against G. E. Kidder, one up; H. S. Shaw against M. E. Nelson, 7 and 6.

The finals in the second, third and fourth flights and the semi-finals in the first flight and the consolation flight will be played by the following contestants:

First Flight—Dick against Stanly; Taylor against Townes.

Consolation — Williams against White; Rountree against Bridgers.

Second Flight — Hunt against Roache.

Third Flight—O'Neill against Barker.

Fourth Flight — Thomas against Shaw.

The flights must be played and the scores posted not later than 6:30 o'clock May 17.

—Mr. D. E. Barnhill, of Rocky Point, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

NATIONAL

PIRATES AND BRAVES IN TEN-INNING TIE.

Respective Twirlers Scored Clubs' Only Tallies.

Pittsburgh, May 12.—Pittsburgh and Boston went ten innings to a 1 to 1 tie today, the game being called on account of darkness. Each pitcher scored his team's only run. Wagner's hand was badly spiked when Mann was retired at second trying to stretch a single in the tenth. He may not play in the New York series.

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Pittsburgh	000	001	000 0—1 3 1

Rudolph and Whaling; Cooper and Gibson.

MAJOR HUNTER WITHDRAWS FROM ENGLISH POLO TEAM.

Relapse In Wife's Health Takes Him Out of International Event.

London, May 12.—Maj. C. F. Hunter, the back on the English polo team, challenging this year for the international polo trophy, today informed Baron Wimborne, the manager of the players, that he would be unable to take his place on the team owing to a relapse in his wife's health.

Lord Wimborne so far has been unable to find a substitute for Major Hunter and until he does he cannot carry out the challenge for the cup now held by the Meadow Brook Polo Club.

TRAP SHOOTER AT ROANOKE, VIRGINIA.

Roanoke, Va., May 12.—The first gun of the ninth shoot of the Inter-State Trap Shooters' Association, was fired this morning at 9 o'clock and at that hour there were 25 squads of five men each on hand making a total of 125 guns.

The weather for the opening of the shoot was ideal and the interest intense.

Notwithstanding a brisk west wind which was blowing throughout the morning, the shooters made some splendid scores.

There were no trophies shot for today, it being more in the nature of limbering up, accustoming the shooters to the grounds, traps, etc.

Mr. R. L. Spotts, of New York City, was the high amateur gun of the day. Mr. Spotts broke 143 out of a possible 150 targets.

Lester German, who in years gone by was famous as a pitcher with the New York baseball team, but who is now a professional trap shooter, broke 148 out of 150.

The Southern handicap, the feature of the meet, will be shot off Thursday.

ALL READY FOR THE BATTLE IN THE THIRD.

District and County Primaries to be Held Saturday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., May 12.—Everything is practically in readiness for the district and county primaries to be held in the Third district next Saturday, May 16. Interest centers around the selection of a Congressman and there are so many different opinions that it is hard to prophesy who will be the fortunate candidate. However, none of the six gentlemen in the race is letting grass grow under his feet.

There are a large number of candidates for the office of county commissioner in Craven county, but the incumbents of the sheriff, register of deeds and clerk of the court, have no rivals and their election is assured. Of the two candidates from Newbern for membership on the board are C. D. Bradham, the present chairman of the board, and ex-Sheriff J. W. Biddle. There are also one or more candidates from each of the townships.

NO NEED OF $1,000,000 PLANT FOR CONVICTS.

Finley Would Convert State's Prison Into School for Blind.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 12.—John Finley, of North Wilkesboro, here to attend a meeting of the directors of the State School for the Blind, is advocating the idea of the Legislature providing for the present State's prison to be converted into a home for the school for the blind and the State farm at Halifax to be equipped with adequate barracks and prison cells for the convicts.

He insists that there is no reason for retaining the present million dollar plant for convicts, fewer than 100 of whom are really kept in the immense prison here. The indications are that such a change will be vigorously pressed upon the next Legislature.

FEDERAL

BROOKLYN AND PITTSBURG PLAY 10-INNING TIE.

Knetzer for Pittsburg, Struck Out Nine Batsmen.

Brooklyn, May 12.—Brooklyn and Pittsburg played ten inning to a tie, five runs each, today. Darkness halted the game. Knetzer struck out nine men.

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Knetzer and Berry; Maxwell and Land.

BRANCH BANK NOT "CINCHED"

Murchison National Only Designated to Execute Certificate for Preliminary Organization.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., May 12.—It was erroneously stated in the dispatches last night that the Murchison National Bank of Wilmington would be made a branch reserve bank. The fact is, the Murchison has been selected as the bank in North Carolina to execute the papers of incorporation for the reserve bank of their district.

The filing of this certificate will complete the preliminary organization and the election of directors for the reserve banks will be proceeded with at once. It was thought this designation meant that Wilmington would act as the branch bank for North Carolina, but the Comptroller of the Currency told Senator Overman today that it did not mean exactly that.

H. N. Harris, of Wilmington, is here. He called on Representative Godwin. P. R. A.

SURPRISE MARRIAGE AT BURGAW

Mr. Wilborn Rivenbark Weds Miss Louise McLendon.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., May 12.—Another surprise marriage took place here yesterday, when, at the Methodist parsonage, Mr. Wilborn Rivenbark and Miss Louise McLendon, the youngest daughter of Mr. A. H. McLendon, were united in marriage, Rev. J. C. Whedbee performing the ceremony. Mr. Rivenbark is the youngest son of Mrs. E. L. Larkins and is employed in the office of the Pender Chronicle. Their friends wish them much happiness.

—A building permit was issued yesterday to M. Warshauer for the erection of a ten-room residence on the northeast corner of Sixth and Nun streets, the cost to be $2,000.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chattanooga	17	7	.708
New Orleans	16	11	.593
Atlanta	13	11	.542
Mobile	12	13	.480
Nashville	11	4	.458
Memphis	11	15	.400
Birmingham	11	16	.385
Montgomery	12	17	.393

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Savannah	20	12	.625
Jacksonville	19	11	.633
Columbia	18	14	.563
Charleston	17	14	.548
Albany	14	15	.483
Macon	14	18	.438
Columbus	11	19	.367
Augusta	11	21	.344

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Norfolk	16	4	.800
Richmond	12	9	.571
Newport News	11	10	.524
Roanoke	10	11	.450
Petersburg	10	11	.450
Portsmouth	4	18	.182

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charlotte	11	5	.688
Durham	10	6	.625
Winston-Salem	9	8	.529
Raleigh	9	8	.529
Greensboro	7	10	.412
Asheville	4	13	.235

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

North Carolina League.
At Greensboro 6; Asheville 3.
At Raleigh 5; Winston 2.
At Charlotte 5; Durham 4.

South Atlantic League.
At Columbia 6; Macon 1.
At Albany 6; Savannah 4.
At Jacksonville 1; Charleston 3.
At Columbus 6; Augusta 5.

Southern League.
At Mobile 1; Memphis 2.
At Atlanta 3; Birmingham 6.
At Montgomery 7; Nashville 6.
At New Orleans 2; Chattanooga 4.

Virginia League.
At Roanoke 6; Norfolk 6. (10 innings, darkness.)
At Portsmouth 2; Newport News 7.
At Petersburg 7; Richmond 4.

American Association.
At Minneapolis 10; Cleveland 5.
At St. Paul 10; Columbus 4.
At Kansas City 2; Louisville 6.
At Milwaukee-Indianapolis, rain.

International League.
At Buffalo-Newark, rain.
At Rochester-Jersey City, rain.
At Montreal 4; Providence 5.
At Toronto-Baltimore, rain.

EXAMINATION OF JOSHUA MILLS IS COMPLETED.

Balance of Day Taken Up With Other Witnesses.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, N. C., May 12.—In today's proceedings of the trial of Joshua Mills, the direct and cross-examination of Mills himself was concluded.

The rest of the day was taken up in the examination of witnesses for the defense and character witnesses, testifying as to the violent character of Ben Ormond, the dead man, and as to threats that Ormond was accused of making against Mills.

The next Bell telephone directory goes to press soon. Now is the time to subscribe in order to get your name in the new book. If you wish to make changes or corrections in your listings, write to The Manager, Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company.—Advertisement ma 10-13-14.

APPROPRIATION INCREASED

Overman Resolution Favorably Reported—$175,000 Instead of $75,000 for Commercial Agents.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., May 12.—The Senate Appropriations committee today reported favorably Senator Overman's resolution increasing the appropriation for commercial agents in foreign countries from $75,000 to $175,000. Senator Overman was the author of the first bill of this character. At that time he only secured $60,000, later it was increased to $75,000 and today to $175,000.

This money is to be used in sending agents abroad to study commercial conditions, find markets for different commodities and keep in touch with the general trade situation. E. W. Thompson, of Charlotte; Ralph Odell, of Concord, and Graham Clark, of Raleigh, are already employed in this work. Today's increase means many more agents will be employed and the work extended to a much larger field.

Senator Simmons Has Measles.

If a good many Democratic senators do not have measles within the next ten days, especially those Democratic senators who have not made up their minds to vote for repeal of the Panama tolls act, it will be surprising. Senator Simmons woke up this morning with a well-developed case of measles. He was in the Senate Saturday, though at that time he had a fever. During the past month and especially during the last week the senior North Carolina senator has been very active trying to convince other senators that they should vote with him on the tolls question. When two senators talk they generally get very close together. Hence it is expected that other Democratic senators will be laid up with measles within a short time. P. R. A.

CAESAR CONE MAKES ANOTHER SPLENDID GIFT.

Donates Elegant Dining Room Suite to Eastern Star Home.

Greensboro, N. C., May 12.—Mr. Caesar Cone has just added another splendid gift to the already magnificent donations which he has made to the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, the latest gift being a magnificent dining room suite in one of the newest and most popular designs. It consists of a table, large sideboard, serving table and ten upholstered chairs of the finest material and handsomely finished. They have been placed in the large dining hall and set it off to good advantage.

Mr. Cone had already given liberally to the institution, being a large giver originally to get the institution here, the first man to furnish a room in the home, and recently contributing $500 toward paying off the $10,000 indebtedness, which Secretary Phoenix will soon have out of the way.

Within 65 days Mr. J. J. Phoenix has secured pledges to the amount of $5,300, leaving $4,700 of the $10,000 indebtedness of the Home yet to be raised. Mr. Phoenix said this morning that he believed it was only a question of a short time until the whole amount would be pledged. Everywhere he has presented the cause there has been a liberal response. At Newbern last week he added the following donations: Knights Templar, $1,000; Royal Arch Masons, $500; Royal and Select Masters, $200; Anointed High Priests, $100, Total $1,800.

St. Louis, May 12.—W. J. Sweeney, of the Chicago Nationals, and Lee Magee, of the St. Louis Nationals, who had a fight during the Chicago-St. Louis game yesterday, were fined $50 each today by President Tener, of the National League.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 12.—The New York Giants, on their way West, stopped off here today and played the Harrisburg club of the Tri-State League, winning 15 to 1. Batteries: New York: Schupp, Palmer and McLean; Harrisburg: Werthe and Parkins.

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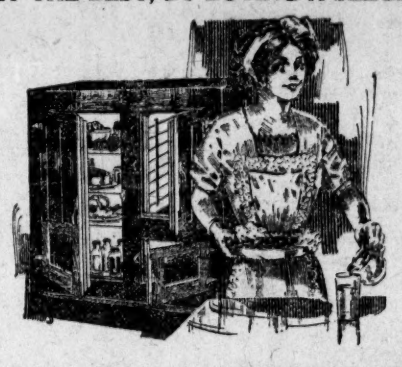

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Oil Portrait Presented To State Supreme Court

Hon. Clement Manly Presents Portrait for Winston-Salem Bar—Nineteenth District Appeals Called—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 12.—Hon. Clement Manly, of Winston-Salem, was the orator today in the Supreme Court for a unique ceremony for the presentation of an oil painting of Hon. Cyrus B. Watson, of Winston-Salem, to the court to be given a place of honor on the walls of the Supreme court library where there are already paintings of numbers of the leading members of the State bar. To Mr. Watson, however, comes the unique compliment of being the first to have his admiring friends provide such a painting to be presented during his life.

Mr. Watson has practiced law for 45 years and established a reputation in his profession equaled by few men of his generation in this State. His health has failed of late to some extent, but he still enjoys the simple pleasures of life that have always filled his life and enable him to scatter sunshine and joy all about him.

The court room was thronged with distinguished lawyers and others here for the ceremony, including a number of relatives, notably Thomas W. Watson, his son, and law partner in the firm of Watson, Buxton & Watson.

Mr. Watson served gallantly as a Confederate soldier as a mere youth in Company K, 45th regiment, and was wounded at Spottsylvania. After the war he clerked in a store at Kernersville and read law, preparing himself for his remarkably successful career. He was the Democratic nominee for Governor in the campaign of 1890, so disastrous to Democrats in this State, owing to fusion of Republicans and Populists, and was a strong factor in the contests for the United States Senate when Senator Simmons was elected to his first term. Mr. Watson's career and splendid personal characteristics were beautifully and eloquently treated by Mr. Manly in his address.

The painting was accepted by Chief Justice Walter Clark for the court in most fitting terms.

The special committee representing the Twin City Bar Association presenting the painting were Hon. Lindsay Patterson, H. R. Starbuck, A. H. Eller and F. M. Parrish.

Nineteenth District Appeals.

The Supreme court called for argument today the appeals from the 19th judicial district, all of which will certainly be heard by Wednesday noon. The list follows: State vs. Shaft, Lance vs. Russell; Wynn vs. Grant; Myers vs. City of Asheville; Schas vs. Life Insurance Co.; Ledbetter vs. English; Belk vs. Vance. The following are specially set for argument at this time: Institute vs. Mebane; Mining Co., vs. Mining Co.

After Woodcock & Co.

Commissioner of Insurance J. R. Young announces that he has been after Woodcock & Co., of New York, for soliciting through the mails to place insurance for North Carolinians when neither they nor the companies in which they propose to place the insurance are licensed to do business in this State. He says the companies that the firm propose to place the insurance with assure him that Woodcock & Co., have no authority to offer their policies in this State.

Shipman Back from Louisville.

Grand Master M. L. Shipman, of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, just back from attending a conference of grand masters of several States at Louisville, Ky., says the conference was most valuable as a movement for more complete uniformity of work and interchange of ideas for advancement of the order. Thirteen grand masters participated.

Delegate to Nashville Meeting.

Governor Craig issued a commission today to Commissioner of Labor and Printing M. L. Shipman, to represent this State as a delegate to the joint meeting of the International Association of Inspectors and Labor Commissioners, to be in session in Nashville, Tenn., June 8 to 12.

Reward for Arrest.

At the urgent request of Sheriff A. E. Garrett, of Hertford county, Governor Craig today offered a reward of $50 for the arrest of unknown men who beat viciously and seriously wounded Wolf Albert, a poultry buyer, of Norfolk, who was set upon October 21, while on his regular rounds buying poultry in Hertford county. The sheriff writes that two strange men were seen in the neighborhood the day the assault occurred and they are suspected. Albert was in a very serious condition several days after the attack was made on him.

FOR PEACE CONTEST.

North Carolina Representative Off for Tennessee.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Elon College, N. C., May 12.—The Peace Contest of the Southern States is to be held at Nashville, Tenn., on Wednesday. Maryland, North Carolina, Tennessee, Louisiana and Texas will have representatives. These speakers were each selected from a contest between the representatives of the various colleges in their respective commonwealths.

The North Carolina contest was held in Greensboro at the Normal college on March 20th, and was participated in by every college in the State. From that contest Mr. William Jennings Bryan Truitt, of Elon College, was chosen to represent this State at Nashville. He left for that city yesterday. Mr. Truitt's oration is entitled, "The Need of a Reign of Peace."

GOOD MEETING AT BOLIVIA.

Revival Services Will Continue Through Next Sunday.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Bolivia, N. C., May 12.—The revival that has been carried on by Rev. H. A. Forester and Rev. S. P. Chapman, of the Wesleyan Methodist church, here for the past several days, will continue through next Sunday. Large crowds have been attending and numbers have professed faith. It is said to be the greatest revival that has been held at this place. It is conducted as a union meeting, the people of the different denominations co-operating in it.

GOVERNOR CRAIG WILL GO TO SAN FRANCISCO.

To Select Site for State's Exhibit at Exposition.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 12.—The special commission appointed by Governor Craig to devise ways and means for bringing about the best possible representation of this State at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, in view of the fact that no appropriation has been made for any State exhibit, met here yesterday and spent several hours discussing the situation taking a recess without any definite announcement except that the commission is determined to see that North Carolina makes a creditable showing.

The commission consists of Gen. J. S. Carr, Durham; Stewart Cramer and C. E. Hutchison, Charlotte; J. C. Drewry, Raleigh; G. A. Holderness, Tarboro; T. W. Brown, Salisbury; R. J. Reynolds, Winston-Salem; Leonard Tufts, Pinehurst; J. A. Brown, Chadbourn, and G. S. Powell, Asheville. Col. Fred A. Olds was elected secretary.

Governor Craig agreed to make the trip across the continent in June, leaving here June 20, to San Francisco for the special purpose of selecting the site for a North Carolina building. In this building there will be installed the exhibits to represent the industrial, agricultural and other activities of the State and there will also doubtless be a special moving picture equipment that will give to the great throngs of visitors from all parts of the world moving pictures and other illustrations of the industries, the scenery and other attractive features.

The following committees were appointed to get busy on the preliminary arrangements:

Committee to confere with the Department of Agriculture as to Co-operation—J. A. Brown, George A. Holderness, T. W. Brown.

Executive Committee—Gen. J. S. Carr, George A. Holderness and Jno. C. Drewry.

Finance Committee—Leonard Tufts, Gen. J. S. Carr and G. S. Powell.

MEMORIAL DAY AT GOLDSBORO.

Mr. Edgar Broadhurst, of Greensboro, Delivers the Oration.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., May 12.—Confederate Memorial Day was fittingly commemorated in this city Sunday afternoon, when a great concourse of people from city and country gathered at the court house square, forming an imposing parade to Willow Dale cemetery, headed by Chief Marshal T. W. Slocumb, of Confederate fame, together with Goldsboro's two military companies and two companies of Boy Scouts, veterans, Daughters and chaplain in carriages, followed by the citizenry to the music of Goldsboro's concert band.

The exercises at Confederate square were opened by prayer by Chaplain J. H. Dickinson, followed by the hymn, "How Firm a Foundation," and an inspiring rendition by Mrs. T. Malcolm Bizzell, Miss Bessie Bronson and Messrs. John Arment and Guy Winstead.

The chief marshal introduced Mr. Edgar Broadhurst, a prominent attorney of Greensboro, an old Goldsboro boy, who delivered the annual address, in which he eloquently reviewed heroic deeds in the struggle of the Lost Cause, paying high and patriotic tribute to the old heroes whose ranks are so rapidly thinning day by day, at the conclusion of which a select choir touchingly sang, "Nearer My God to Thee," while the Confederate mound was strewn with flowers. The band rendered a beautiful dirge, as the usual salutes were fired by the military and the great throng slowly and reverently dispersed.

PROF. GRAHAM INVITED.

To Address the Equal Suffrage League at Kinston.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., May 12.—Prof. Edward K. Graham was today invited by the Equal Suffrage League of Kinston to address the local suffragists and sympathizers here on June 7th. Prof. Graham, who is acting president of the University of North Carolina, is a member of the State advisory committee.

Possibly half a hundred women here will enroll as members on June 7th, when the organization will be perfected. As yet the league has only two officers, Miss Sybil Hyatt, secretary, and Miss Mildred McDaniel, treasurer.

ROBESON MAN WINNER.

Mr. D. M. Johnson Awarded Medal at Wake Forest.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., May 12.—In the contest for the John E. White medal, Mr. D. M. Johnson, Philomathesian, of Robeson county, was the winner.

Saturday morning at a mass meeting the following athletic officers were elected for the following year:

W. A. Riddick, baseball manager; D. G. Perry, assistant baseball manager; K. M. Yates, assistant basketball manager; J. W. Bruner, track manager; P. S. Daniel, assistant track manager.

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Charters Issued

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 12.—Charters were issued for two new corporations as follows:

The Kinston Free Press Co., of Kinston, capital $25,000 authorized and $8,000 subscribed by N. J. Rouse, I. F. Taylor, H. E. Moseley and others for publishing the Kinston Free Press and general printing purposes.

The Home Ice Co., Winston-Salem, capital $100,000 authorized and $10,000 subscribed by C. M. Thomas, W. T. Miller and M. Z. Gaither.

LEE COUNTY SHERIFF DEAD.

C. G. Petty Succumbs to Acute Indigestion.

Sanford, N. C., May 12.—C. G. Petty, sheriff of Lee county, died at his residence here Sunday morning at 9:30, after a brief illness of acute indigestion. At his regular duties Saturday he complained of not feeling well in the afternoon and was taken suddenly worse early Sunday morning. Sheriff Petty was born in Chatham county 47 years ago and had been a resident of Sanford about 20 years, serving Lee county as sheriff for the last six years. He was a popular and efficient officer.

Surviving are a wife and nine children, besides a mother and several brothers and a sister. Funeral services took place at 3:30 yesterday afternoon from his late residence on Charlotte ovenue, conducted by his pastor, Rev. H. E. Spence, of the Methodist church. Interment was made at Buffalo cemetery.

MAP OF MOUNT OLIVE.

Being Prepared by Civil Engineer. Will Locate Property.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mt. Olive, N. C., May 12.—By order of the city commissioners, Gordon Cooper, a civil engineer, of Clinton, N. C., is now preparing a map of this place, showing every lot, vacant or occupied, and the owner thereof. The purpose for which this map is being made is to assist the assessors, both city and county, in locating and determining the owners of all real estate within the city limits.

Because of the inability of the assessors to properly locate and determine the owner of each piece of taxable real estate within the city limits, it is said that the city has lost quite a good sum of tax money it was justly entitled to. By the assistance of the map now being prepared, it is proposed to put a stop to this leakage.

PRIZE WINNERS AT SOUTHPORT.

Warren Spencer and Miss Beulah Stiffler Awarded Medals.

Southport, N. C., May 11.—The Southport school has closed after another successful year. The commencement exercises consisted of a declamation and reading contest. The declamation prize went to Warren Spencer and the reading prize to Miss Beulah Stiffler. It is understood that from now on the commercial organization and the Woman's Civic Club will offer annually prizes to the best declaimers and best readers, making the contest held this year an annual affair.

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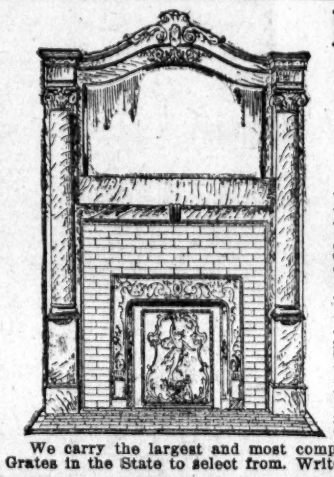

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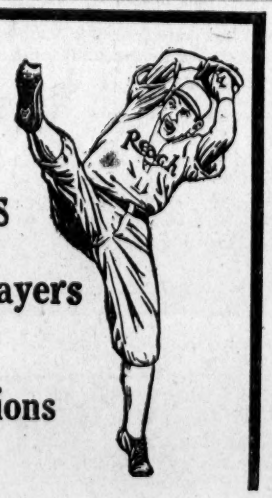

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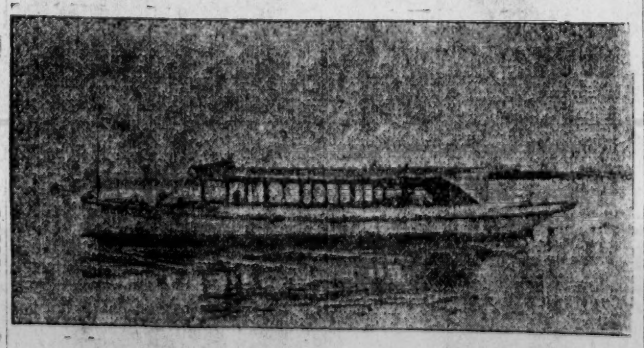

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No. 51. 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. 12:45 A.M.
No. 64 ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ! 6:15 P.M.
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No. 62. *3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. *12:50 P.M.
No. 59. * 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M.
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—EASTBOUND— Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach	—WESTBOUND— Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington
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Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
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Wednesday, May 13, 1914.

Mowing the lawn is good exercise but it is not a man's idea of recreation.

If a woman can't find out where another was born she says the other came from goodness knows where.

Huerta is said to be on his last legs but they are the same old legs he began with when he started out on his career as dictator of Mexico.

A New York school pays a teacher $1,500 a year to instruct children how to play. Even grown people have to be shown how to take a rest.

A prominent man recently said: "All I have in the world I owe to my wife." He will keep on owing it, too, unless his wife gets her a lawyer who can collect the debt.

Of course, young men are willing to sacrifice their lives for their country, but the country makes a terrible sacrifice in being deprived of its vigorous manhood when it is needed most.

Those people who go to the mountains of North Carolina will have the pleasure of discovering the Swannanoa river by means of trails which they can follow at the head of the party.

The value of a nickle in the eyes of some people is that it is good for a cold drink, a trolley ride or the movies. Very few people keep a sack into which they can throw their nickles.

Colonel Roosevelt is accustomed to broils and gets fat and saucy on them. Consequently he will enjoy the broil which three English geographers and explorers have started with him about his South American exploits.

Dr. Cook expressed his belief that Colonel Roosevelt has discovered a river a thousand miles long. The doctor gives us a good illustration of what faith is—belief in something that we have no means of proving.

Says the Columbia State: "Dam T. R.'s river!" Explorer A. H. Savage Landor has been saying dam it ever since. T. R. considered himself a discoverer just because he found it running all over Brazil without any owner.

Among the Americans recently seized by Huerta were several Bull Moosers. He immediately turned them loose, else when the Bull Moose party gets home in a few days from South America, it might declare war against him.

Circus men would hate for anything to happen to our old friend Huerta, as he could be shown among the lions if he would only accept an engagement. A circus man would give a job to an emperor if he would consent to be displayed in the menagerie.

Having claimed that he has discovered a new river a thousand miles long, in the Brazilian wilderness, Colonel Roosevelt thinks his statement about it should be accepted. Well, most publishers will accept it but they will insist on putting it in the joke column.

The North Carolina bankers are holding the annual convention of their association in Raleigh. They draw on the State capital's hospitality and find that none of it is held in reserve, like bankers do with their money so they can always have plenty on hand.

The Richmond Journal says: "A large number of representative men of Richmond have issued a call for a public meeting to be held at the Academy of Music, Thursday night, in the interest of local self-government." At this writing, local self-government in Virginia means local option. On account of what is going on in Virginia, many Richmond men view with alarm the ruthless encroachment of prohibition upon the individual's privilege of buying his liquid in the home market and not ordering it from Kentucky. A great many men regard that as a right, while others regard it as a wrong, based upon license instead of liberty.

WOOLEN INDUSTRY ON A BOOM.

Free raw wool and reduced tariff duties on manufactured woolens under the Democratic tariff was one of the loud pedals played on by the calamity howlers when the Wilson administration began to carry out the Democratic party pledges to the people. Instead of the destruction of the sheep industry and the ruin of the woolen mills, there comes the marvelous story that a new impetus had been given to the industry, from the sheep range to the factory.

The Boston Transcript says American manufacturers are demonstrating their ability to meet foreign competition and even sell certain classes of goods in foreign countries. The Transcript is standard authority for the woolen industry, and it says about the 1914 clip on American sheep ranches:

"High prices are prevailing everywhere. The experience of the first five months under free wool is so surprising as to force a recasting of all predictions and a radical revision of opinions as to the outlook. Few would have dared to predict, in the height of the tariff agitation of last year, higher prices at the opening of the 1914 clip. So surprising is the situation that conservative dealers are afraid to operate heavily in the new clip wools, for fear that the boom will not last. The shortage of wool all over the world is held partly responsible for the conditions, but abnormal conditions in English and Continental goods markets are supposed to be at the bottom of the continued demand and the advancing prices for raw material. Also, it is said that American manufacturers underestimated the strength of the position of the home mills and were thereby induced to make prices altogether too low on their goods. This mistake is now being rectified."

There has been a notable decrease in the price of piece goods, but, the Transcript says, the price of the new clip is so steady that clothing material has advanced 5 to 10 per cent, and meanwhile all the mills are busy. The demand is large both in America and Europe, and we have one more incident going to prove the economical fact that prices and the prosperity of any industry depend more on the law of supply and demand than they do upon legislation—the tariff law, for instance.

HAY RAISING SOUTH.

With farmers in Western and Central North Carolina making good reports concerning their experiences in growing clover and alfalfa, there comes through the Rock Hill Herald a cheering account of the progress made by the "alfalfa men" of the county of York, South Carolina. The progressive farmers of that county have an "Alfalfa Association," organized a few years ago, and the association held its annual meeting at Rock Hill last Saturday, with fifty alfalfa growers in attendance.

Aside from the fact that the individual growers have demonstrated that alfalfa can be produced at a fine profit and to the great advantage of the land, the meeting took a practical turn in a discussion of co-operation as an economic feature of hay raising and agricultural operations generally. Three government experts made talks to the growers on different topics but The Herald says the trend of the discussion was regarding the cultivation, harvesting and marketing of alfalfa. The necessity of co-operation in marketing of the hay crop was emphasized.

Prof. Weeks, a government expert, demonstrated the sweep rake in collecting hay and conveying it to the hay stack or barn, and showed the advantage of that piece of farm machinery over the old way of using pitch forks to toss the hay on wagons and then tossing it off again. It was demonstrated that one man with a sweep rake can haul to the stack three or four loads of hay while a wagon and two men take in one load. The economy so demonstrated is vital to the success of the hay raiser and it assures the most profit out of hay raising as an industry. Where no one farmer grows on such a scale as to enable him to have his own machinery, it was pointed out that several farmers can co-operate and own and use the same machinery in turn.

The alfalfa growers of York are enthusiastic, and it is in organization and by such practical demonstration that success is bound to be achieved in new agricultural opportunities in the South.

READY TO PASS WARSHIPS.

Colonel Goethals, Governor of the Panama Canal Zone, has informed Secretary Daniels, that if he sees any necessity for it, torpedo boats and other warships of certain draft can be sent through the canal by tomorrow. Colonel Goethals has made the statement that at this time a 30-foot channel extends from the Atlantic to the Pacific, hence any ship which can utilize that depth of water less the amount required under the keel, can be taken through the waterway.

This indicates how nearly ready the canal is for regular traffic. It is now ready on an emergency, and the probability is that if some of the large warships were needed on the Pacific side, a little hurry dredging at some of the cuts would enable them to pass through from ocean to ocean. However, it is proposed to delay the formal opening of the canal till the finishing touches are put on.

The mayor of Charleston has been confined to the hospital for a few days. He was enjoying good health just a few moments before he had to be sent to the hospital, but he went around to a newspaper office to lick the editor. Of course, editors don't like to be licked and it makes them mad when people come along and butt into them while they are doing the best they can and canning but little at the best.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It has been estimated that over $175,000 goes out from this place each year for gasoline and not a dollar of it ever returns. Just think on this a moment. This would build a good cotton mill every year; it would build the dormitories needed for Carolina College, pay the expenses of the college and the churches in town the first year, and in ten years give it the largest endowment of any educational institution in the State.—Maxton Scottish Chief.

A more vigorous North Carolinian than Cyrus B. Watson, of Winston-Salem will be hard to find. A gallant Confederate soldier, he returned from the army and began the practice of law in Winston-Salem, building up a practice in the criminal courts that was second to none in the State. A man of great moral and mental strength, Mr. Watson was never afraid of his convictions, and he took first rank in the State. The Democratic party sought to honor this old warrior and patriot, but he was never accorded the recognition that was his due. The Supreme Court will receive his portrait Tuesday morning, the gift of the members of the Winston-Salem bar, and the occasion will be notable. The court will honor itself.—Raleigh Times.

When Gov. Cole Blease in a campaign speech as candidate for the United States Senate promised to pardon anybody guilty of killing a physician who attempts, against the parents' will, to make an examination of a school girl under the terms of the proposed law for the medical inspection of school children, he merely lives up to his known character. He has pardoned murderers and other criminals by hundreds and publicly promised pardons as an incitement to murderers. When ne says that medical inspection of school children would give the examining physicians the power to damn forever the daughters of their political enemies by giving out false reports as to the chastity of their enemies' daughters he displays once more his unclean mind and evil heart. If medical inspection of school children is criminal and indecent other States more advanced in civilization than South Carolina are asylums for the criminal insane, and South Carolina is one of the few remaining refuges of sanity and Cole Blease its proper keeper.—New York World.

PROGRAMME OF MEETING STATE BAR ASSOCIATION.

Two Addresses by Prominent Lawyers—Chief Justice Clark.

The programme of the annual meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association which will meet at Wrightsville Beach June 29th-30th, has been announced by Thos. W. Davis, Esq., of this city, who is secretary of the organization. Two lawyers of National fame will make addresses, these being Hon. Rome G. Brown, of Minneapolis, Minn., and Hon. A. J. Montague, formerly governor of Virginia. Chief Justice Walter Clark, of the North Carolina Supreme Court, will also make an address on the opening day.

Special rates have been secured at both the hotels, the Seashore and the Oceanic. It is expected that the attendance will be the largest in the history of the association and preparations are being made to entertain at least 300 delegates.

Thos. W. Rollins, Esq., of Asheville, is president of the association, and T. W. Davis, Esq., of Wilmington, is secretary. A. W. McLean, Esq., of Lumberton, is chairman of the executive committee.

The programme of the meeting as announced by Secretary Davis is as follows:

Monday, June 29th, 8:30 P. M.—Address of welcome, by George B. Elliott, Esq., of Wilmington. Response by G. L. Lyons, of Waynesville. President's address, by T. S. Rollins, Esq., of Asheville.

Tuesday, 10 A. M.—Address by Hon. Walter Clark, chief justice; address by A. L. Brooks, Esq., of Greensboro.

Tuesday, 8:30 P. M.—Address by Hon. A. J. Montague, of Virginia; address by Hon. Rome G. Brown, of Minneapolis, Minn.

SERVICES AT ST. MARY'S.

Large Audiences Hear Father Doran's Sermons.

Growing interest marks the mission services at St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, and a very large audience was present last night when Rev. Father Doran preached on "The Common Lot of All Men." The subject was a mediation on death, a decree which has been pronounced against the human race.

The speaker portrayed the condition of man as he was created by Almighty God and the condition of man as the result of his rebellion through sin. Death, said the speaker, is the sentence pronounced upon sin, and life cannot be better used than as a preparation for death.

One of the questions asked was "Why does the Catholic church use the Latin language in her services?" Father Doran explained that the ritual of the church was in the Latin language because of the antiquity of the tongue and the need of a universal language for a universal church. The question box feature is proving of great interest.

The subject for tonight will be "The Eternal Prison House."

MEMORIAL DAY AT WARSAW.

Rev. A. O. Moore, Delivers Address of the Occasion.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., May 12.—Memorial Day exercises were held here Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the James Kenan chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy. The exercises were opened with a hymn by the choirs of the different denominations which had united for the occasion, followed by prayer by Rev. George Matthews, pastor of the Presbyterian church, who also made a few choice remarks in which he paid a high tribute to the heroes of the South.

He was followed by Rev. A. O. Brown, pastor of the Baptist church, who delivered the principal address of the occasion. Mrs. A. O. Moore rendered a solo, "God, Be With Us," while the congregation knelt. Then a parade was formed and proceeded to the cemetery where the graves of the veterans were decorated with flowers.

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SECOND WEEK OF CRUSADE

Mr. Haynes Spoke to Union School Pupils on Evils of Cigarette Smoking Yesterday.

With the eyes of many people throughout the State upon her, Wilmington is going after the cigarette evil in deadly earnest. With free clinics for the help of all "fiends" daily at the court house, under the direction of the county health authorities, and daily talks on the evils of the habit in the public schools, serious efforts are being made to "clean up" the town. The second week of the crusade began yesterday with a talk to the pupils of the Union school by Carlyle B. Haynes, of the National Anti-Cigarette League, who is directing the movement here.

Widespread and favorable attention is being attracted to the campaign here. Editorially the Charlotte Observer made this comment in its issue of May 7th: "Mr. Carlyle B. Haynes, agent of the National Anti-Cigarette League, is one man who should be welcomed to North Carolina. He has reached Wilmington and is giving clinics in that city. That is to say, he is washing the mouths of the cigarette fiends who may submit, with the nitrate of silver solution. Twenty-five cents worth of this chemical is sufficient to cure a victim of further desire to smoke. It is too simple for belief, yet the anti-cigarette people are 'showing how' every day."

Mr. Haynes has been receiving letters from other places, some coming from as far away as Spartanburg and Gastonia, asking for additional information concerning the treatment which is being administered at the court house. This treatment has been so successful in Chicago, New York and other places where it has been tried that it is being asked for by many people and institutions who are engaged in battling against the cigarette.

Yesterday morning at the Union school, after the exercises had been opened with prayer by Rev. Crowley, of Immanuel Presbyterian church, Mr. Haynes said:

"I knew a cat once which had all of its nine lives taken from it by a little dose of nicotine. Dr. Paulson, the president of the National Anti-Cigarette League, desiring to see just how deadly nicotine is, took the paper off a cigarette, shook the tobacco it contained into a half cup of water, let it soak half an hour, and then injected some of the water under the skin of this cat. In about three minutes the cat began to jerk and shake, and in three more minutes it laid down and died. That's what cigarette smoking will do to you if you keep at it long enough."

Mr. Haynes then told the pupils that nicotine was not the worst thing there was in the cigarette. He told of the recent investigation under the auspices of the London Lancet, and the discovery in the smoke of the cigarette of the deadly furfural, which he declared to be 50 times more poisonous than alcohol, and as much of it in the smoke of one cigarette as there is in two fluid ounces of raw whiskey, formed, it is said, from the combustion of the various things which manufacturers of cigarettes are said to put in them, such as glycerin, licorice, sugar and saltpeter.

"All you boys want to be strong men. It will not be many years until you are men. You are anxious to grow into successful men. But to meet successfully all the competition and other obstacles which life will bring to you will require all the strength, steadiness, courage, patience and toughness that you can summon to your aid. No doubt at all about that.

"And as a school boy it will be easy for you to forget all this and give away your strength, courage and toughness. This is done by taking on bad habits. And the very worst habit of them all is the cigarette habit. And you may be sure if you take on this habit as a boy you never can grow into a strong, healthy, substantial man. The boy who starts his life with the cigarette habit is beaten in the battle for life before he has ever started to fight. He has tied a great weight about his life which will make it impossible for him to keep his head above the surface, and that boy will sink and not swim.

"To get anywhere in this world every boy needs steadiness and patience. But the boy who smokes cigarettes is known everywhere to be unsteady, and changeable. He cannot work well, so he cannot hold a job. He cannot study well, so he cannot pass his examinations. He can not think well, so no business house wants him.

"To succeed in any walk of life we must all have coolness and will power. But the cigarette boy is nervous, excitable and hasn't any will of his own. He will lie and steal.

"And so the world doesn't want him; he doesn't fit anywhere; and he loses all the prizes and good things of life. Boy, don't you think such a habit is a good one to let alone?"

At 9 o'clock this morning Mr. Haynes will speak to the pupils of the Williston school at their chapel exercises.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Number of Papers Were Filed for Record Yesterday.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: L. Clayton Grant and wife to A. S. Kirby and wife, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on east line of Fifth, 96 feet north of Marsteller street, 96x180 feet in size; Dave Neil and wife to C. B. Parmele, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west line of Eighth, 99 feet south of Hanover street, 33x82 1-2 feet in size; L. J. Carter to G. H. Hutaff and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot No. 7 in block 6, Love Grove; C. B. Parmele to Dave Neil and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west line of Eighth, 99 feet south of Hanover, 33x82 1-2 feet in size; Allison Alderman and wife to Richard Williams, for $100 and other considerations, lot on Rankin street, adjoining lands of E. D. Browning; Manhattan Company to W. H. Cotton and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 34, Fernside; J. D. James and wife to Joseph Rezze, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west line of 14th, 220 feet south of Castle, 33x155 feet in size; Nonie F. King and Katie B. Corbett to L. J. Carter, for $100 and other considerations, lot No. 7 in block 6, Love Grove.

KINDERGARTEN CLOSES.

Exercises at St. John's Mission School Yesterday Morning.

St. John's Mission, located at 1313 North Fourth street, closed its kindergarten yesterday morning after a very successful term. This is the first year the school has been conducted. A very nice programme, consisting of songs, recitations, etc., was rendered by the little folks, under the capable direction of their teacher, Miss Olivia Hewlett.

Following the closing exercises the work done by the children was exhibited to the visitors, among whom were Mrs. W. E. Cox, Mrs. Jas. White, Miss Louise Harlow, Mars. Berry Gleaves, Mrs. Mary James, Mr. J. Edwin Bunting and others.

By the time the next term opens it is hoped to have a children's playground located among the fine oaks surrounding the mession.

STURGEON BOUNTIFUL.

Never So Many In Neuse and Trent Rivers.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., May 12.—Never before in the recollection of local fishermen have so many sturgeon abounded in the waters of Neuse and Trent rivers as have been found to inhabit local waters during the past three or four weeks. The first large fish of this variety was caught near Oriental about three weeks ago by R. A. Dudley. This one measured ten feet in length and weighed about four hundred pounds. Several others have been caught since that time and yesterday morning Capt. James Mason caught another near South River measuring about seven feet in length and weighing 200 pounds.

These fish are being disposed of to local dealers and are shipped by them to Northern fish merchants who make use of the roe. This retails, when manufactured, for three dollars the pound. While there seems to be a sufficient supply of sturgeon in local waters, other varieties of the finny tribe are comparatively scarce.

Kinston, N. C., May 12.—Sturgeon are more numerous in Neuse river than in years, and fine catches are being reported from a number of points. Exhibited here yesterday was a prize which weighed 150 pounds and was 6 1-2 feet in length. The fish, with another of the same species, was caught in a net at Pate's Beach, near here, the smaller one escaping while the fishermen were landing its mate. The specimen brought to the local market was as large as any ever seen here, and found an immediate sale.

Rockfish have also been caught in unprecedented number. One man made a haul of 40 pounds in a few minutes yesterday. Shad have been scarce all season, for a reason which the local fishermen cannot solve since the arrival of the rock and sturgeon in the shallow waters of the upper Neuse disproved the theory of an illegal obstruction down stream.

KILLED ON THE BORDER.

Greensboro Negro, Member of 10th Cavalry, Loses His Life.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., May 12.—Sandy Alexander, a negro who runs a barber shop here, has just received a message stating that his son, Thomas R. Alexander, was shot and killed near the Arizona border on Mexico yesterday. No details were given. The deceased was a member of the 10th cavalry, and had enlisted 18 months ago while in an art school in New York. He was a bright negro youth and both he and his father were highly respected here. The body will be shipped here for burial.

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Men's Selected Imported Italian Yeddas; fine, silk-lined; black silk band; a hat that sells in most all large cities at $2.50 to $3.00; our price... $1.50
Men's Rough Braid Yacht, Split Sennit; regular $2 Hats; our price, only ... $1.50
Rough Braid Tango Dip; new style shape; high crown; regular $2.50; our price ... $1.98
Men's very choice Split Yacht; most popular shape; would be cheap at $3.00; our price ... $2.48
Men's Genuine Panama Hats, with black silk bands. Telescope Optimo, Alpine and Racket shapes; regular $5.00 and $6.00 values; our price ... $3.98
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SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSIONS.

Pleasant Outings at Wrightsville Beach for the Young Folks.

The Tidewater Power Company is furnishing the young folk of the city who are in the Sunday schools with lots of pleasure by giving them outings at Wrightsville Beach. These excursions are annual events for all the members of the Sunday schools of the city and have proven to be quite popular. Yesterday the Bladen Street and Trinity Methodist Sunday schools, about 400 in number, spent the day at the beach and had a most pleasant time.

Today the Sunday school of Immanuel Presbyterian church will have a picnic at the beach and this afternoon the Mt. Lebanon school will join them. The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will spend tomorrow at the beach.

Monday afternoon the Sunday schools of the Church of the Good Shepherd and the Church of the Ascension spent several hours at the beach. There were a large number in the party and a most enjoyable time was had.

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Your system is run down and you have but a low degree of vital resistance when a cough 'hangs on" as often happens in the spring of the year. Chronic diseased conditions of the nose and throat result, and a good many cases of lung trouble are directly due to neglected colds. Foley's Honey and Tar is thoroughly effective in cases of stubborn racking coughs, bronchial coughs, hoarseness, tickling throat, bronchial asthma and the chronic coughs of elderly people. It is very healing and soothing to the inflamed mucus membranes, and should always be in the household where there are children, as it is the best and safest thing you can give your child for croup or whooping cough. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, and that alone recommends it to careful parents. And its superior healing and soothing qualities, and its quick beneficial action, makes it the best medicine for coughs and colds that you can buy. In 25c, 50c and $1.00 bottles everywhere. Do not take any but Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. For sale by R. R. Bellamy.
(advertisement.)

—Mr. Harry Kahler, of Jacksonville, Fla., has arrived to assume his duties as master on the government dredge Henry Bacon, formerly known as dredge No. 9. Mr. Kahler formerly lived here being employed on the government dredge Jacksonville until three years ago. He has many friends here who will be glad to welcome him to the city again.

How to Save Your Eyes

Try This Free Prescription.

Do your eyes give you trouble? Do you already wear eyeglasses or spectacles? Thousands of people wear these "windows" who might easily dispense with them. You may be one of these, and it is your duty to save your eyes before it is too late. The eyes are neglected more than any other organ of the entire body. After you finish your day's work you sit down and rest your muscles, but how about your eyes? Do you rest them? You know you do not. You read or do something else that keeps your eyes busy; you work your eyes until you go to bed. That is why so many have strained eyes and finally other eye troubles that threaten partial or total blindness. Eyeglasses are merely crutches; they never cure. This free prescription, which has benefited the eyes of so many, may work equal wonders for you. Use it a short time. Would you like your eye troubles to disappear as if by magic? Try this prescription. Go to the nearest wide-awake drug store and get a bottle of Optona tablets; fill a two-ounce bottle with warm water, drop in one tablet and allow it to thoroughly dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. Just note how quickly your eyes clear up and how soon the inflammation will disappear. Don't be afraid to use it; it is absolutely harmless. Many who are now blind might have saved their eyes had they started to care for them in time. This is a simple treatment, but marvelously effective in multitudes of cases. Now that you have been warned don't delay a day, but do what you can to save your eyes and you are likely to thank us as long as you live for publishing this prescription.
(advertisement.)

The Spirit of Progress

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MEETING OF HEALTH BOARD

Dr. Nesbitt Recommends Increased Duties for Market Inspector and Laboratory Director.

Calling attention to the now practically complete equipment of the city laboratory, Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, the county health officer, in his report to the Board of Health at the monthly meeting held in the court house last evening, recommends an additional appropriation for the coming year for the purpose of employing the laboratory director and the meat and milk inspector for a larger portion of their time than at present, in order that they may do the work that conditions require. Dr. Nesbitt also urges the addition of at least two more sanitary inspectors to take care of the increasing work during the coming months.

His recommendations will be taken up at a special meeting of the Board of Health to be held sometime next week, at which time the budget for the coming year will be taken under consideration.

At the meeting last night were present Mayor P. Q. Moore, Prof. Washington Catlett and Dr J. B. Cranmer, the other members of the board being absent. Present also were Dr. Nesbitt, county health officer, and Dr. John Thames, county physician, who acted as clerk. Mayor P. Q. Moore occupied the chair in the absence of Chairman Martin S. Willard.

Aside from hearing the monthly reports from the different health and sanitary departments, the board transacted little business. Dr. Nesbitt stated that the sanitary police are now working from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. and that they are calling up the office every hour during the day. He stated that this system, instituted during the past month, had proved to be very valuable, but on account of the scarcity of telephones in the outlying districts of the city, it was sometimes a hardship to have the officers call up hourly, and suggested that the board authorize them to call up every two hours instead. This was agreeable to the board.

Dr. John Thames, in his report, points out that once more the city and county are absolutely free from smallpox, and he attributes this to constant work and a thorough vaccination.

A communication was received from the Housewives' League enclosing resolutions adopted at the semi-monthly meeting held yesterday afternoon, recommending that the milk and meat inspector and the laboratory director be employed for a longer portion of time than at present, or for full time. The resolution is as follows:

"Whereas our inspector of markets and dairies has shown the need of more extensive supervision by the legal authorities; and whereas there are no persons employed for these inspections who are required to give their whole time to the work, as is necessary; and whereas the health of the community depends to a very great extent upon the purity and cleanliness of the food supply;

"Be it resolved, That the Housewives' League do most respectfully request and recommend that the County Board of Health employ the present meat and milk inspector for a much larger portion of his time or his full time, and the director of the laboratory of the Board of Health for his entire time, providing adequate salaries, so that the meat, milk and other food supplies of the city may be thoroughly inspected and controlled."

The clerk was requested to write the league that the recommendations contained in the communication would be taken under consideration at a special meeting of the board to be held sometime next week.

Urges Expansion of Laboratory.

The report of Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, county superintendent of health, for the month of April gives an exhaustive outline of work that should be done by the laboratory of the Board of Health. The report in full follows:

"Board of Health, New Hanover County.

"Gentlemen: The members of the Board of Health will recall that at the beginning of the last fiscal year at the time of the organization of the combined health work I urged that the work of the laboratory be expanded, and that the work of the meat and milk inspector be elaborated to include the frequent taking of samples of milk for bacteriological tests and the taking of samples of foods for adulteration tests.

"The present city laboratory was secured from the City Council, by reason of the fact that the State Board of Health demanded that a competent laboratory man be placed in charge of the purification process of the city water supply. In fitting up the laboratory, apparatus was supplied with a view to ultimately expanding the work to include all of the work done in municipal laboratories, that is, chemical and bacteriological regulation of the milk supply, testing of foods and beverages for adulteration, the testing of cement and other materials purchased for public use, and the examination of pathological specimens in the diagnosis of disease and in the discovery of disease carriers. The facilities for the above work have been provided from time to time as it became possible until the laboratory is equipped to do all of this work excepting the testing of building and other materials which require special apparatus.

Control of Milk Supply.

"Aside from the supervision of the water purification the most important function of the laboratory is the control of the milk supply. As a disseminator of disease mil kis of more seminator of disease milk is of more used thing. Realizing this fact, one of the first things undertaken at the beginning of the present administration in 1911 was the improvement of the milk supply. Of necessity, the producers of milk had first to be educated to the point of realizing the necessity of great care in handling their goods. Dairies, farms and herds were inspected at frequent intervals by Dr. Carroll and myself and Dr. Carroll was tireless in his efforts to improve these places. This was absolutely the foundation work. Laboratory control would have been of little service while ... gross conditions needed so much ...rovement. We began about six ...ths ago to take samples from the ...ous dairies for bacteriological in...igation. This work has been car...on as far as it has been possible ...r the existing conditions. The time ... arrived when samples from all ... dairies must be taken at frequent ...rvals and under different condi...s in order to standardize the lo... product correctly.

Special Officer Needed.

...amples of foods and beverages ... been examined for adulteration, but no routine work in this line has so far been attempted. No pathological work has yet been attempted. These laboratory procedures, if done correctly, should have the complete attention of a competent officer employed for that purpose. The care of the laboratory, the preparation of culture media and specimens, the preparation of stains, the observation of processes, and the innumerable other duties necessary for efficient laboratory service require time, training and skill, and the person performing such work should give his exclusive attention to it. In the examination of food and milk supplies much time must be expended in making inspections and collecting samples. Such work cannot be done in a haphazard fashion.

"The department is handicapped because neither the director of the laboratory nor the meat and milk inspector is employed for his whole time. Both of these officials have given much more time to this work than they have been paid for and both have done a great and useful service to the community. It will be impossible to carry on the work of a public laboratory as it should be done unless the persons in charge of such work are employed for their whole time and are paid a sufficient salary to command competent service. I would most respectfully urge that the Board of Health secure if possible such additional appropriation as may be necessary for this purpose.

What Other Cities Are Doing.

"In Jacksonville, Fla., the director of the laboratory is paid $1,800 a year. In Birmingham, Ala., he is paid $2,100 a year, and has an assistant. In Charleston, S. C., he is paid $1,800 a year and has an assistant. In Memphis, Tenn., he is paid $2,400 a year and has an assistant. In Savannah, he is paid $3,000 a year and has three assistants. In Roanoke, Va., he is paid $2,500 a year. In Louisville, Ky., he is paid $1,600 a year and has two assistants. In Montgomery, Ala., he is paid $1,800 a year. In these cities such laboratory work is being done as we desire to do in Wilmington. The salaries of meat and milk inspectors throughout the country in cities of this size range from twelve hundred to two thousand dollars owing to the amount of time the officer is required to devote to this work.

Work During Past Month.

"During the past month inspections have been made with reference to the sanitary condition of houses and premises in the immediate suburbs of Wilmington and the villages of Delgado, Winter Park, Audubon, Sea Gate, Wrightsville, Wrightsboro and Castle Haynes. As soon as possible a sanitary card index system will be prepared for the entire county outside the city. During the present month the oiling of ditches and pools of standing water in the suburbs and in these villages for the prevention of mosquito breeding will be undertaken. This work cannot be done with the present force at our disposal in an effective manner. The summer inspection work in the city is always very heavy, and there is an increasing disposition on the part of the public to make use of the department. There should be provided at least two additional inspectors to our present force. Our inspectors are now on duty continuously from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. every day and one inspector is detailed each Sunday to keep the office open throughout the entire day. Each inspector is required to report hourly by telephone and a record is kept of such reports.

"Respectfully submitted,
'CHAS. T. NESBITT,
"County Health Officer."

Financial Statement.

The financial statement for the month of April was submitted at the meeting last night and is as follows:

Receipts—Balance on hand, April 1, $878.73; monthly appropriation for April from city of Wilmington, $1,312.50; monthly appropriation from county of New Hanover, $347.50. Total, $2,628.73.

Disbursements—Salaries of officers, $636.66; sanitary police, $466; disinfectants, $32.93; medicine for indigent, $25.33; printing, stationery and postage, $25.33; laboratory supplies, $7.50; maintenance of conveyance, $12.24; contingent fund, $36.34. Total for health department, $1,243.33. Maintenance of incinerator, superintendent and labor, $357.85; fuel, $7.50; supplies, $3.25. Total, $368.50. Total disbursements, $1,611.93, leaving a balance in bank of $1,016.80.

Statistical Report.

The statistical report shows that for the month of April there were 67 births, 26 white and 41 colored; 54 deaths, 21 white and 33 colored. Non-resident deaths, 4; two white and two colored. Deaths under five years, 13; 5 white and 8 colored. Temporary resident death rate per thousand: White, 13.7; colored, 25.2. Total, 19.1.

Cases remaining in quarantine May 1: In city—Diphtheria, 1; measles, 3; whooping cough, 14. In county outside of Wilmington—Whooping cough, three.

Fumigation—Diphtheria, 10 rooms; measles, 51 rooms; whooping cough, 6; smallpox, 12; tuberculosis, 16.

CLAIM THEY REMOVED HOUSE

Five Arrests Made Yesterday in Connection With Demolished Structure at Carolina Beach.

Because it is alleged that they either removed or aided and abetted in the removal of a house located a short distance below Carolina Beach, Messrs. A. W. Pate, W. M. Pate and T. H. Nelson, white, and Frank Murphy and Henry Farrow, colored, were arrested yesterday by Sheriff Cowan on affidavits made by Mr. H. Mack Godwin before Justice Harriss. The white men gave bond in the sum of $250 and the negroes gave bond in the sum of $200 for their appearance before Justice Harriss Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Warrants for two negroes are still out.

The house alleged to have been removed was the property of Messrs. G. H. and M. A. Currie, of Clarkton. It is said to have been removed Saturday night and after making an investigation, Mr. H. Mack Godwin and Deputy Sheriff W. H. Kermon stated that they found some timbers which were identified as having been a part of the house which disappeared so mysteriously. The nature of the evidence that will be brought out in the trial has not been divulged, though it is claimed by those prosecuting that they can prove their case. Those arrested yesterday had nothing to say with reference to the case.

The land upon which the demolished house was located is said by Mr. G. H. Currie to have been inherited by him. It is understood that the New Hanover Transit Company, of which Mr. A. W. Pate is president, also claims possession of the land. There are about 300 acres of land in the tract.

Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared for the defendants in the case yesterday and Hon. John D. Bellamy and J. O. Carr and A. J. Marshall, Esqs., have been retained by Messrs. Currie.

ENTERS PLEA OF GUILTY

Charles Tyson Submits in Federal Court to Charge of Distilling. Given Prison Sentence.

Charles Tyson, of Bladen county, submitted in Federal Court here yesterday afternoon to a charge of illicit distilling and was sentenced by Judge H. G. Connor to serve two years in the United States penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga. He made a statement in his own behalf, but in view of the fact that he had been in court before on a similar charge, Judge Connor felt that he would have to go to prison.

Tyson was arrested early in April at his place of business in the swamps of Bladen county. When the posse arrived they found no one at the distillery, but patiently waited until Tyson arrived. Tyson is said to have pulled his gun, but realized that he could not defend himself and quietly dropped it to his side. He was charged with an assault with a deadly weapon upon a United States deputy, but judgment was suspended in this case.

The first day of Federal court was marked by the usual routine of organization and the charge to the grand jury, following which a number of citizens were naturalized. Then came the calling of a long list of cases, most of which were for minor offenses and many of which have been on the docket for several years. Some of these are where persons are out on good behavior and are required to make report to the court semi-annually.

Today will be given over to the trial of criminal cases also. There is a case against Will Holland, colored, charged with breaking into postoffice boxes, which will likely come up, although the grand jury had not returned a true bill last night. Mr. G. G. Hemelwright, of Newport News, Va., an inspector of the postoffice department, is here in connection with the case.

There is also an interesting case which will probably be heard today, this being that of two Chinamen, Lem Tuk Tak and Lam Pui, who have been ordered by the Department of Labor to be deported because of alleged irregularities in coming into this country. Habeas corpus proceedings have been started by their attorneys, Thos. W. Davis, Esq., of this city and Mr. Ralston, of Washington, D. C., and this will be heard today. Should the court fail to grant it they will be deported unless the case should be taken to a higher court. Mr. W. R. Morton, of Norfolk, Va., immigration inspector for the sixth district, who worked up the cases against the Chinamen, is in the city in connection with the cases.

Another case that will come up today or tomorrow is that against Dan Woodel, who is alleged to have violated the white slave law. This will be the first case of its kind ever to be tried in Wilmington and the second ever to come up in the State.

The citizens naturalized yesterday are as follows: Joseph Abelovitz, of Wilmington, native of Russia; Anton Linsimaier, Fort Caswell, native of Hungary; Egidio Dallago, of St. Helena, native of Austria; Oscar Wilhelm Johnsen, of Wilmington, native of Norway.

Judge Connor, in his charge to the grand jury, which was especially striking because of the remarkably clear way in which the fundamental principles of the law, especially the statutes which have been enacted by Congress, were outlined, took occasion to outline briefly the nature of the laws that have been passed regarding white slavery. There is no function of Congress that has been expanded and made more comprehensive, said Judge Connor, than that delegated to it by the constitution, giving it sole jurisdiction over inter-State commerce.

Under this authority Congress has enacted a law which forbids any person from transporting or causing to be transported or aiding and abetting in transporting a girl or woman for the purpose of prostitution or debauchery. Any person guilty of a violation of this statute, said the court, may be fined $5,000 or imprisoned for five years or both as the court may see fit. This law applies only, he explained, where the transportation is from one State to another as the State has the sole jurisdiction over all commerce within its own borders.

Judge Connor went into the usual discussion regarding the violation of the internal revenue laws, the postal laws, and counterfeiting.

The grand jury is constituted as follows: Messrs. M. W. Divine, foreman; Paul C. Cantwell and S. J. Davis, of New Hanover; J. L. Wilson and R. M. Melvin, of Bladen; A. M. Chinnis, of Brunswick; F. A. Marsh, of Cumberland; J. W. Hasty, of Columbus; Albert King and Leslie Moore, of Pender; C. J. Jones, of Richmond; E. S. McNeill, of Robeson; J. A. Campbell, R. D. Hibson, J. T. Bostick, J. T. Taylor, A. R. Watts and Monroe McLaughlin, of Scotland.

Following the charge to the grand jury, A. K. Powers, Esq., of Pender county, and W. M. Kelly, Esq., of Rockingham, were introduced to the court and were sworn in as members of the Federal Court bar.

BIDS OPENED YESTERDAY.

Proposals for Erecting Concrete Prison House at County Farm.

Proposals for erecting a model prison house of concrete construction, two stories in height and 42x152 feet in size, to be located on the county farm property, were opened by the Board of County Commissioners at a meeting held in the office of Chairman Martin S. Willard yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Bids were submitted by a number of contracting firms, both local and from other points. The proposals were not given any extensive consideration at the meeting yesterday, it being only the purpose of the board to open them. They will be gone over by the committee having the matter in charge, in conjunction with Mr. Jas. F. Gause, Jr., the architect, who drew the plans and furnished the specifications, and will be taken under consideration at a special meeting which may be held tomorrow, or perhaps next week. The contract for the erection of the building may be awarded at this meeting.

Previous mention has been made as to the purposes of the County Commissioners in connection with the proposed central prison house to be located on the county farm property.

CONGRESS FOR COLORED RACE

Educational Meeting at St. Stephen's A. M. E. Church—Opening Session Last Evening.

(By Geo P. King.)

An educational congress of the North Carolina conference of the African Methodist Episcopal churches opened last night with a literary and musical programme. The feature of the evening was the chorus composed of members of the choirs of the colored churches of the city. This event will feature during the sessions that will begin today with daily and night sessions through to Sunday, some of the most representative negroes in the country. St. Stephen's church, in which the congress is being held is one of the leading churches of this denomination. It has for its pastor the Rev. A. J. Wilson, who has done a constructive work among his people and is now doing an effective work in this city. This being the first congress ever held in this Episcopal district of this church, from present indications, it will be of an epochal significance.

Bishop L. J. Coppin, of Philadelphia, will preside during the week. He is particularly interested in every phase of the congress and because of his ripe experience in directing such movements in this country the results from this meeting will be very helpful to the community and the State. In touching upon some phases of the work that will be the features of the congress he said that the principal object of the congress was to raise funds for Kittrell College, located at Kittrell, N. C. This is the school of the Second Episcopal district of the A. M. E. church and one of the twenty-two schools of this connection, three of which are in Africa, two in South Africa and one in Liberia, on the west coast of Africa.

Two objects will especially be emphasized at this congress: first, the short-school terms that prevail are insufficient to give the negro youth the needed start at the only time they can go to school. The bishop said "something must be done to increase the school terms as well as to secure better teachers in the rural districts and better facilities." Secondly, he exclaimed that "the industrial feature of Kittrell will receive special attention, especially that which will enable the management to utilize the farm lands connected with the school, both for the purpose of giving the students a practical and broader education and affording an opportunity to those who have sufficient means to earn something while pursuing their course. The money now needed is principally for the girls' dormitory and hall, where the girls are taught domestic science and art in connection with purely literary studies. Ten thousand dollars is needed to put the school in good working condition."

There has arrived in the city a number of representative educators and prominent ministers from a number of States. A pertinent feature of today's programme will be the address this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Dr. James B. Dudley, president of the North Carolina A. & M. College for the Colored Race, Greensboro. Being one of the recognized leading educators of his race, who has given this State college a nation-wide reputation as being the best of its kind among negroes, and a man having the confidence of the better element of both races because of his ability and splendid worth to the State, his address will be brim full of wholesome things for the congress.

The congress will hold a business meeting at 10:30 A. M. today and another session at 8 o'clock.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS DEATH OF NEGRO.

James Brown Died Within 12 Hours After Life Was Insured.

Within 12 hours after he had taken out an industrial policy in the Life Insurance Company of Virginia for a small amount, James Brown, colored, was dead at his home at No. 816 Thompson's alley. When he took out the policy he stated that he was well in every respect and he appeared to be so. His companions, however, state that he had been suffering with indigestion for some time, and that he was taken with an attack yesterday morning at 1 o'clock and passed away soon after.

The policy was made payable to Georgia Singletary, a negro woman, living at the same house, who stated yesterday that she was to have been married to the deceased negro at an early date. Owing to the mystery surrounding the death, the undertaker thought it best to have Coroner Fowler make an investigation. An affidavit having been made, Mr. Fowler had Sheriff Cowan summon a jury to hold an inquest. The members of the jury are Messrs. S. Seigler, Jr., foreman; C. H. Keen, secretary; E. A. Orrell, W. M. Sheehan, W. H. Kermon and H. Johnson.

The jury examined the body yesterday afternoon and also questioned some of the companions of the dead negro. It was thought best to have an autopsy made before proceeding further to determine whether or not there were any evidences of poison. They took a recess until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHIC OFFICE.

Wilmington Public Typewriting Co., Open Offices at 109 Princess.

The Wilmington Public Typewriter Company, which opened for business May 11, at 109 Princess street, have fitted up attractive offices and is in charge of only thoroughly experienced stenographers. They are prepared to do substitute work during the summer months, and will be able to fill all demands, as well as general stenographic work, billing, mimeograph and circular letter work, and take dictation by either shorthand or dictaphone.

They have recently placed a stenographer in the office of the Remington Typewriter Company, where anyone can have their work in this line executed on short notice, and neatness and accuracy is guaranteed.

BELIEVED THAT MURCHISON BANK WILL BE DESIGNATED

That is Views of Bankers in Washinton, D. C.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., May 12. — While from a strictly technical point of view the Murchison National Bank has not been officially designated as a branch, it amounts to that in the opinion of bankers here, if one is allowed for North Carolina. The designation of this bank in the present instance means that it will take part and be the agent of the reserve bank of Richmond. This may and may not result, in the final analysis, on Wilmington being selected. P. R. A.

Wage Earners

Are you planning to be Employers, some time? Do you know of anything that will give greater impetus to your plans than a Savings Account at the People's Savings Bank?

There are many flourishing businesses in Wilmington today that made their first start with a Savings Bank balance.

Open an account here and improve your chances for getting up in the world.

"THE HOME OF SAVINGS."

The Peoples Savings Bank

There Are 104 Cents In Every Dollar

to the man or woman who deposits in a Savings Bank. The saving habit is easy to form.

Open a Savings Account now, and see how easy it will be for you to come in each month and deposit a part of your earnings.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

——110 PRINCESS STREET——

Oldest Savings Bank in North Carolina

To the Citizens of Wilmington

The Fidelity Trust and Development Company, through its corporate officers, makes this public statement:

Repeated rumors have been circulated that this Company, its officers and stockholders, have been acting in support of the proposed bond issue for docks and wharves, because it owns wharf property that it desires to unload on the City.

We have ignored these rumors heretofore, but within the last ten days, as the election approaches, they have been taken up and repeated with emphasis by gentlemen in this community who pretend to stand for its morality and business ethics.

The fact that Mr. Chadwick, an officer of this Company, is a member of the Council which submitted the proposition to the people, and the fact that the Company owns a fine piece of wharf property so situated as to logically suggest its advantage for wharves and docks, seems to have been the occasion of these rumors.

In the first place, **at no time since the question has been before the public, has this Company concerted directly or indirectly to influence the action of the Council in submitting the question to the people. In the second place, if the matter had come up for discussion, we would be advised that under the charter of the City of Wilmington, which prohibits the sale to or purchase by the City of any property in which any Councilman or official of the City was directly or indirectly interested, it would be illegal and void.** This, in itself, would eliminate, if it were our desire, any probability of our taking any part in the forthcoming election with any view of the sale of our property to the City.

When, therefore, as we are reliably advised, business men of this town step out of their way in an effort to defeat the bond issue — who heretofore advocated it — and charge, as has been done, that the Fidelity Trust and Development Company, and its officers, are seeking to unload it on the City, we think, in the interests of the Company, and in fairness to the situation, that we should make a denial of any such scheme or purpose as emphatic as we can.

These statements, which have been, and are being made, are simply not true. There is no foundation for their being made.

The men who are making them could not justify their statements, if called upon, and it is unfair and unjust to this Company that such statements should be so recklessly made.

This Company is engaged in the purchase and sale of real estate, having brought into this community considerable money and pioneered the investment of Sunset Park, where it has spent over $110,000 in improvements alone; where it has sold in the past sixty days $30,000 worth of property. It has done this without interfering with politics, and its officers taking that interest only in the town which every patriotic and intelligent citizen should takefor its progress and development.

So far as the particular piece of property which has occasioned so much discussion is concerned, it has never been offered by us to any individual nor corporation for any more nor any less than $125,000, and it is paying the Company over 6% on this amount now.

Signed:

J. P. COUNCIL, Wananish, N. C.
J. H. HINTON, Wilmington.
J. W. BROOKS, Wilmington.
C. E. GREENAMYER, Wilmington.
C. C. CHADBOURN, Wilmington.
L. W. DAVIS, Wilmington.
D. N. CHADWICK, Jr., Wilmington;
W. A. CANNON, Burgaw, N. C.
J. J. HOPKINS.

IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Fred Mohr and children are spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lindner, of Baltimore, Md.

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Mrs. C. A. King, of Philadelphia, who has been spending the past three months in Wilmington, visiting relatives, a guest at the home of Mr. Wm. E. Springer, has returned to her home.

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The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will picnic at the beach tomorrow. They will leave Front and Princess streets at 2:30 P. M. It is desired that all the members leave at that time if possible.

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The many friends of Mrs. D. F. McLean, who has been in Harper's Sanitarium for several weeks, will be glad to know she has recovered sufficiently to return to her home, No. 512 Red Cross street.

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Mrs. Edward Y. Wootten and little son, Bradley Jewett, and Mrs. Amoset C. Davis have gone to Saluda, N. C., to spend the summer. Mrs. Eliza Y. Wootten will join them in about a week or ten days and will spend the entire summer and fall at Saluda.

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Mr. Bonhumir Kryl, whose band gave two splendid concerts at the Chautauqua yesterday afternoon and last night, and his assistant were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Niggel, No. 411 North Fifth street, last evening. Mr. Kryl and Mr. Niggel are old friends, though it has been several years since they have met

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Many people will be interested in the announcement that Mrs. Paul L. Cantwell will give a May dance for her afternoon dancing class on Saturday, May 16, in Woolvin Hall. Fancy dances will be a special feature, including the May Pole, the ballet flower dance, the Spanish dance, the minuet, the maxixe, etc., in which the children are being trained by Mrs. Cantwell.

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A matron's club with a round dozen charter members was organized at the initial meeting held with Mrs. J. M. Woodward, 221 North Fourth street, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. R. Jones was elected president and Mrs. J. A. Parham secretary. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ralph Shaw. Mrs. Woodward proved herself a gracious hostess in entertaining the new club yesterday.

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GRADUATE RECITAL IN PIANO AT ELON COLLEGE.

Elon College, N. C., May 12.—At the second of the spring series of recitals, Miss Wilson, director of the music department, presented three graduates in piano, Miss Hattie Belle Smith ,of Elon College; Miss Ethel Barrett, of Dayton ,Ohio, and Miss Beatrice Mason, of Nashville, N. C. The programme, an interesting variety of sombreness and light, was admirably played and gave much pleasure to those who love and understand music.

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YOUNG PEOPLE MARRIED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Montague, N. C., May 12.—A wedding of interest to many friends here and elsewhere was solemnized this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bullard, when their daughter, Miss Rene Bullard, was given in marriage to Mr. L. J. Beard, of Fayetteville. Rev. Father Geo. A. Watkins, of Wilmington, officiated.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Rose Bullard, as maid of honor and Mr. I. V. Peterson was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Beard left on the evening train for a visit to northern cities. They have a host of friends who will extend felicitations and congratulations.

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QUIET AND PRETTY WEDDING AT WARSAW.

Warsaw, N. C., May 12.—A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized here Sunday afternoon, when Miss Nellie Hall became the wife of Mr. B. G. Medford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George Matthews, pastor of the Presbyterian church, at 7 o'clock, in the home of Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Newcomb, the latter a sister of the bride. Only a few friends and near relatives were present. The bride wore a blue traveling suit. After the ceremony, Mrs. Newcomb served refreshments, consisting of ices and fruits. The bridal couple left on the evening train for Baileys, where they will make their home. Both have many friends who wish them much happiness and prosperity.

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ANNUAL MEETING TODAY OF COLONIAL DAMES.

The annual meeting of the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames of America will be held this morning in the club rooms in the old Bellamy building, northeast corner of Fifth and Market streets. It is expected that there will be a number of visitors from other cities in the State. Tonight from 8:30 until 11 o'clock a reception will be held in honor of the officers and the visiting members at the home of Hon. and Mrs. John D. Bellamy.

Tomorrow the annual pilgrimage will be made to old Brunswick on the steamer Wilmington. There will be exercises appropriate to the occasion in old St. Philip's church. J. O. Carr, Esq., will make the historical address. Rev. T. P. Noe will conduct the devotional exercises. The public is cordially invited to join the members of the society on this trip which promises to be an enjoyable one. The charge for the trip will be 50 cents and all are expected to take well-filled baskets. Following the exercises dinner will be served in true picnic style.

THE PRIMARY IN GUILFORD.

Stedman and Overman Will Get the County's Full Vote.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., May 12.—In the primary Saturday, Senator Overman, being the only announced candidate, will get Guilford's entire vote in the State convention. Judge Shaw and Solicitor Bower will have the county's instructed vote for judge and solicitor of the district, respectively, which insures their nominations as Guilford has a majority of the votes in the convention.

Major Stedman will get the county's 79 votes for congressman. Senator Hobgood will be nominated unanimously by the Democrats; so will Sheriff Stafford, Clerk of Court Gant, Register of Deeds Rankin, Surveyor Edmunds. There are eight candidates for the three places in the lower House, and six for the three commissioners to be elected this year. There are [illegible] candidates for coroner.

SUPERB MUSICAL RECITALS

Kryl and His Band at Chautauqua Yesterday — Attraction Last Night Best Given.

It was a great day yesterday for the music lovers of Wilmington, for Kyrl and his band were at the Chautauqua in all their glory and to say that they pleased and that greatly is putting it mildly. The Denton Grand Opera Co., appeared with the band last night and this combination resulted in a musical recital that excelled anything of its kind that has been given in Wilmington in many a day. The most sceptical were convinced that chautauqua spells high-class entertainment and that the performance was indeed the height of all the splendid attractions that have been given the past week.

There was a large audience last evening and also yesterday afternoon. There were vacant seats, however, but had music lovers here really known what was coming the large tent would undoubtedly have been filled to its utmost capacity. It was an appreciative audience and frequent encores were given by the players and singers.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock Hon. Frank J. Cannon, of Utah, will deliver his famous address on "The Modern Mormon Kingdom." He is an authority on Mormonish and has been heard with great interest throughout the United States. Interest in this subject has been intensified this week by the introduction of a resolution by Senator Overman to amend the constitution so as to prohibit Mormonism in the United States.

Senator Cannon in his lecture in plain language accuses the Mormons of high treason because they have openly practiced polygamy in violation of the constitution. He has spoken in several cities in this State within the last ten days and has made a most favorable impression.

Preceding the lecture the Farinelli Company will give a concert. They will also give a concert tonight after which Reno, the magician, will do some startling and mystifying stunts that will appeal to both old and young. The attraction will appeal especially to children and it is hoped that the parents will see that they come. The performance will be of the same high class that has characterized the Chautauqua from the beginning.

The children's hour each afternoon by Miss Bond is immensely popular with the younger girls and boys of the city. Those who have been missthem have much to regret for she certainly is a story teller of wonderful talents.

The morning literary interpretations at 11 o'clock by Mr. Amsbary have proven very popular with many people, especially lovers of good literature. This morning his subject will be "The Ballads of Bourbonnais."

The Chautauqua closes tomorrow with concerts in the afternoon and at night by the Kellog-Haines Singing Party and a lecture in the afternoon by Montaville Flowers on the subject, "Color Guard and Picket Line." This is a wonderful lecture and makes a powerful impression according to the reports which come from other places where it has been delivered.

DELEGATES TO CONVENTIONS

Representation Based on the Democratic Vote for Governor Craig, Cast In 1912

Based on the vote for Governor Craig in 1912, the 13 precincts of New Hanover county are entitled to a total of 81 delegates to the Democratic County convention to be held Saturday, May 23, and the county, on the same basis, is entitled to a representation of 13 delegates to the State Democratic convention and 40 delegates each to the District Judicial and Senatorial conventions.

Precinct meetings for the purpose of naming delegates to the county convention will be held in the different precincts next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, and all Democratic voters of each precinct are entitled to a vote in naming the delegates to the county convention, the number based on the precinct's vote for Governor in 1912.

The county convention will be held at the court house here Saturday, May 23, at noon, and at this time the delegates elected at the precinct meetings will elect the delegates to the State and Senatorial and Judicial conventions.

The different precincts are entitled to delegates as follows:

Wards and Precincts	Vote 1912	Delegates.
1st Ward, 1st precinct..	140	6
1st Ward, 2nd precinct..	88	4
2nd Ward	287	11
3rd Ward	424	17
4th Ward	320	13
5th Ward, 1st precinct..	264	11
5th Ward, 2nd precinct ..	209	8
Delgado	107	4
Sea Gate	43	2
Seven-mile Post	26	1
Cape Fear Township ...	41	2
Masonboro Township ...	30	1
Federal Point Township.	11	1
	1,990	81

FUNERAL OF MR. SHOLAR.

Body Arrived from Texas Yesterday. Interment in Oakdale.

The funeral of Mr. Louis I. Sholar, who was drowned in Texas last week, was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the undertaking parlors of W. E. Yopp. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist church, and were private, only members of the family and a few intimate friends attending. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery and a delegation from the Red Men acted as pall-bearers.

The body arrived yesterday at noon from Texas, where Mr. Sholar was drowned last week. He and a companion were in a boat and were making their way across the Colorado river when a raft struck their craft, capsizing it. His companion swam to shore to get help while Mr. Sholar clung to the boat with the expectation of saving it. Nothing more was seen of him until his dead body was later found in the river.

THEATRICAL

If you want to hear the old ballads, those ever dear to heart and that never fail to fill one's being with tenderness, why be certain to hear Rees Prosser, the noted minstrel tenor, who long ago won the hearts of Wilmington folks, when he was the star of the olio of the Al G. Field's minstrels. Prosser is at the Victoria Theatre, being one of the headliners of the present great show, and, by the way, today offers the last chance to witness this great vaudeville offering. Prosser is the same sweet singer and his songs reach every heart. He is attractively aided in his fine work by Miss Florence Reed, a pretty young woman, with a most demure way.

And you also want to be certain to see and hear Johnnie Geiger, the big vaudeville star, in the South for a very brief engagement and The Victoria is lucky indeed in securing him. Geiger certainly makes the violin talk. This is not a trite expression, but a literal one. You should hear the way his fiddle is made to talk. He is also a finished musician, and is being given more encores at The Victoria than he has wind, or the theatre has time for him to respond to. Yet another great act, a most elaborate one for scenery and novelty, is offered by Ray Randell & Co. There is also a big bunch of sweet sound, a dream of loveliness in the appearance of charming Peggy Dougherty, who is also a winner at The Victoria.

At The Grand Today.

Aye, sir, The Grand, the people's favorite amusement palace, continues to delight the folks of Wilmington, and the people of Wilmington con tinue to rave in joy over this handsome, up-to-date theatre.

The film show for today will be headed by the seventh of the series of "The Adventures of Kathlyn," this particular film, in two big parts, being called "The Garden of Brides." This stirring serial takes up the thread of the story where Kathlyn was left tied to the tiger cart. From this precarious position the young woman is released by the gang of brigands, who start a mutiny. From then to the end of this fine serial there is never a dull moment. Thrill follows thrill, and fiery spectacularism holds forth.

The Vitagraph will offer its latest also today in "The Woman In Black" and the well known young romantic actor, Mr. Maurice Costello, will appear in the stellar role.

And then for laughs. The biggest and most wholesome kind. The Edison Company will offer "Dinklespiel's Baby," which was especially written by popular Dan Mason and in which this noted comedian will appear. It's the greatest bunch of laughs from the garden of sunshine.

"Our Mutual Girl" at Bijou.

Two big serials, one in two reels, and a big Nestor drama in a full reel —that's what is on tap for Bijou patrons today. The third episode of that great $25,000 Eclectic photoplay by the great Pathe players, will be a headliner today in two full reels. It depicts another unsuccessful attempt of Owen and his accomplice to get Pauline out of the way, which is foiled by Harry's good work. The scenes of this installment are very spectacular and some of the most thrilling action that has yet been seen in this great serial is on tap in this installment.

The eighth installment of that popular serial "Our Mutual Girl," in which our bewitching little hero becomes a philanthropist and has all sorts of interesting adventures, will come second on today's bill. Margaret is getting better every week, and this week's series is certainly one of the most interesting yet. It contains some of the real stirring action that is now developing in the plot, and from now on every week will be better, more interesting and more enjoyable. Margaret is bound to come out at the big end at the finish, but there are many big adventures in store for her before that comes about.

A big Nestor drama, "Women and Roses" is the third big feature for today, which is an adaptation of the beautiful poem of the same name by Robert Browning. As adapted to the movies, it makes a beautiful and appealing photoplay, one that will be thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Tom Costin has gone to Mt. Airy to spend several months with the hope of regaining his health.

—Mr. J. P. Chapman has returned from a visit to Florence, S. C. He was accompanied home by his son, Mr. J. B. Chapman, Jr., who spent several days in the city.

—Mr. E. Wheeler Stone, who formerly resided in this city but is now living in Robeson county, is attending Federal court this week. He is clerk to Hon. Francis D. Winston, United States district attorney.

—Mr. H. A. Burr, of this city, who is spending several months in New York City, writes relatives here that he is a spectator at the Becker trial now under way there, having secured a seat in the court room through the influence of the presiding judge.

—Mr. L. A. Alexander, who has been local electrician for several years for the Postal Telegraph Company, has been promoted to electrician in the office at Richmond, Va., and has already entered upon his duties. He has many friends in the city, who while regretting that he has left Wilmington will nevertheless be glad to know of his success.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The weekly meeting of City Council will be held at the city hall this morning at 10 o'clock. So far as was known yesterday, no matters of special importance are scheduled to come up.

—Tom Holden, colored, was fined $25 and the costs yesterday by the Recorder for an assault on a female. In the event that he is unable to secure the money he is to serve 60 days on the county roads. Henry Bacchus, colored, was fined $5 and the costs for assault and battery.

CATHOLICS IN MISSOURI AGAINST PROHIBITION.

Resolutions Adopted—Fight Against Prohibition Amendment.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 12.—Resolutions condemning the proposed prohibition amendment to the National Constitution were adopted today by the State convention of the Catholic Union of Missouri. The convention also adopted a resolution asking Catholics to remain away from the Panama Peace Exposition on the days former Mayor Nathan, of Rome, Italy, is there as official representative of the Italian government.

M'RACKAN FOR SENATE; WILLIAMSON FOR HOUSE.

Indicated by Incomplete Returns from Columbus Primary.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Whiteville, N. C., May 12.—Incomplete returns from the 14 precincts in the county indicate that Donald MacRackan will win out over Shipman for the State Senate; Williamson for the House; Brown for county attorney; Best for sheriff; Stanley for clerk of the court, and Hickman for treasurer.

Brown, Council and Grimsley will probably be nominated commissioners. The official vote has been canvassed and there is still some doubt as to the successful nominees. Whiteville township gave an almost solid vote for Grady for county attorney and for Shipman for the State Senate.

In Bolton Township.

Bolton, N. C., May 12.—Primary vote in Bolton township was as follows:

For Senator of the 11th district, Donald McRackan 33; J. M. Shipman, 55. For county attorney, L. V. Grady, 32; E. Garland Brown, 52. For the House of Representatives, J. R. Williamson, 31; S. M. Withers, 34; Jno. B. Butler, two; A. M. Benton, 13. For sheriff, Jno. T. Best, 44; J. R. Blake, 10; John O. Ammons, 33. For county treasurer, Thomas E. Barden, 44; William R. Hickman, 29; Clyde Goar, eight. For clerk of the court, Lewis W. Stanley, 73; E. A. Maultsby,four; C. I. Ross, eight. Road Commissioners, Walter R. Davis, 46; A. A. Williams, 55; T. G. Sessions, 64; A. T. Clark, 83; F. Richardson, 10. County commissioners, R. E. L. Brown, 72; Craven C. Pridgen, eight; J. N. Cox, six; R. Q. Powell, 16; D. W. Brown, three; E. J. Grimsley, 43; T. F. Stanley, six; K. B. Council, 51; J. B. Cox, 51.

DEATH OF DR. V. E. TURNER.

Former President State and National Dental Societies.

(Special Star Correspondence)

Raleigh, N. C., May 12.—Dr. V. E. Turner, former president of the North Carolina Dental Society and of the National Dental Society as well, and a prominent figure in professional and social life in this State for many years, passed away at his home in this city early yesterday morning, aged 77 years. He had been ill only a few days, although his health had been failing for some time.

Dr. Turner had lived in Raleigh for more than 40 years, was a native of Franklin county and began the practice of dentistry in Henderson. He was twice married, first to Miss Lassiter, of Henderson, and in 1874 to Miss Root, of Raleigh, his first wife having died in 1868. She and three children survive. They are Dr. Chas. R. Turner, of the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania; Dr Henry G. Turner, of Raleigh, and Mrs. Henry M. Wilson, of Raleigh.

NEW MANAGER FOR ARMOUR.

Mr. Greene Fenley is Succeeded by Mr. I. F. Campbell.

Mr. Greene Fenley has resigned as manager of the Wilmington branch of Armour & Co., and will be succeeded by Mr. I. F. Campbell, of Louisville, Ky., as soon as the details can be arranged for the transfer. Mr. Campbell has already arrived in the city to take up his new duties. He is said to be an experienced man, and has been with the Armour people for a number of years.

Mr. Fenley declined to discuss the matter yesterday, further than to admit that the change had been made. He made no statement as to what his future plans are. He has many friends in the city, and they will be interested in learning about his future plans.

STEPPED OUT OF BED ON A RATTLESNAKE PILOT.

Joel Herring Has Unusual, Dangerous and Painful Experience.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., May 12.—Joel Herring, who is employed at the Camp Lumber Company's plant a few miles from here, was the victim of an unusual and painful accident yesterday morning. When he awoke from his night's repose, he stepped out of bed onto a rattlesnake pilot, which bit him, causing considerable anxiety for a time. The reptile had made its way into the bedroom of his residence.

He was rushed to Warsaw, where medical treatment was secured. Dr. W. D. Crocker administered treatment and it is thought that he will be entirely well in a few days.

May Receive Pension.

A bill has been introduced in Congress by Senator Overman, providing for a pension of $30 a month for Mr. Rob't H. Cowan, a popular Wilmingtonian. Mr. Cowan was a volunteer in the Spanish-American war, and asks for pension because of physical disability, caused from exposure while serving his country.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

ACTIVITY IN COTTON MARKET

Showed Increased Strength on Firmness of Liverpool Cables—Close Was Firm.

New York, May 12.—The cotton market showed increased activity and strength today as a result of firm Liverpool cables and renewed apprehension as to crop outlook in the South, with the close firm at a net advance of 11 to 22 points.

The opening was steady at an advance of 5 to 6 points on foreign buying, local and Southern covering whinch was evidently inspired by the relatively high cables and reports of unsettled weather west of the Mississippi river. There was considerable realizing and some selling which was probably inspired by an expectation that the weekly weather report at midday would make a favorable showing. After making a net gain of from 11 to 17 points the market reacted two or three points from the best under these offerings, but soon firmed up again, reaching the best point of the day in the late trading when active months showed net gains of from 15 to 23 points.

The close was a point or two off from the best under renewed realizing, but there was a good demand in the final hour and Liverpool was a fair buyer here during the afternoon.

The summary of the weekly weather was considered fairly favorable, but the state details showed some unfavorable spots, while the daily detailed weather reports indicated rather general rains in Oklahoma which it was feared would be effected by unseasonably low temperature. Moreover, the late afternoon was prompted by unfavorable private crop advices from the Southwest, particularly from the neighborhood of Texarkana, whtch reported that replanting was just beginning and that renewed rain promised to cause a further considerable delay.

In addition to this nervousness over the new crop outlook the showing of the Liverpool cables served to emphasize bullish features of the old crop situation.

Spot cotton steady; middling uplands 13.20; middling gulf 13.45; no sales.

Cotton futures closed firm.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
May	12.58	12.75	12.57	12.72
July	12.24	12.41	12.24	12.40
Aug	12.09	12.27	12.09	12.26
Oct	11.86	11.76	11.66	11.75
Dec	11.66	11.77	11.65	11.76
Jan	11.58	11.68	11.58	11.67

The Port Movement.

New Orleans—Middling 13¼; receipts, 5,861; exports, 14,452; sales, 1,659; stock, 138,613.

Galveston — Middling, 13 1-16; receipts, 4,007; exports, 14,994; sales 1,680; stock, 204,975.

Mobile—Middling, 12 13-16; receipts, 849; stock, 21,083.

Savannah—Middling, 13¼; receipts, 2,336; exports, 3,866; sales, 1,000; stock 55,084.

Charleston—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 253; exports, 889; sales, 200; stock, 4,485.

Wilmington—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 19; stock, 17,659.

Norfolk—Middling, 13; receipts 373; exports, 82; sales, 379; stock, 31,036.

Baltimore—Middling, 13¼; exports, 358; stock, 2,362.

Boston—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 66; exports, 100; stock, 10,800.

Philadelphia—Middling, 13.45; receipts, 194; stock, 2,892.

New York—Middling, 13.20; exports, 180; stock, 125,466.

Minor ports—Stock, 9,022.

Total today—Receipts, 14,020; exports, 34,930; stock, 618,427.

Total for week—Receipts 33,652; exports, 59,259.

Total for season—Receipts, 9,935,610; exports, 8,215,385.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 1,013; shipments, 3,071; sales, 279; stock, 85,651.

Memphis—Middling 13¼; receipts, 508; shipments, 2,796; sales, 600; stock, 65,477.

Augusta—Middling, 13¼; receipts, 257; shipments, 538; sales, 1,030; stock, 34,259.

St. Louis—Middling, 13¼; receipts, 1,373; shipments 1,325; stock, 29,243.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 710; shipments, 55; stock, 19,963.

Little Rock—Middling, 12¾; receipts, 22; shipments, 753; stock, 39,333.

Total today—Receipts, 3,883; shipments, 8,538; stock, 273,026.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, May 12.—Spot, steady. Good middling, 7.90; middling, 7.37; low middling, 6.89. Sales, 8,000; speculation and export, included 50 American. Receipts, 4,000. Futures, steady. May-June, 7.02; July-August, 6.84; August-September, 6.68; October-November, 6.35½; December-January, 6.26½; January-February 6.26½.

NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, May 12.—Turpentine, firm, at 43¾ to 43¾. Sales, 1,042; receipts, 1,201; shipments, 94; stocks, 11,757.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,577; receipts, 3,396; shipments, 375; stocks, 103,671. Quote: A, B, 3.80; C, D 4.00; E, 4.05; F, G, 4.15; H, 4.20; I, 4.25; K, 4.30; M, 4.60; N, 5.30; W G, 5.70; W W, 5.75.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 12.—Cotton goods markets were quiet, but steadier today. Overcoatings and woolen suitings were ordered more freely for Fall. Silk piece goods were in moderate call for Fall.

MISS WORTHEN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Young Lady From Charlotte Run Over by Car in Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., May 11.—Miss E. True Worthen, 28 years old, sister of Herbert C. Wirthen, general manager of the southern division of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was run down and fatally injured here today by an automobile. She died shortly after noon.

When informed by physicians that she could not live, Miss Worthen expressed a desire to see her mother before she died and arrangements were made to have one of the special trains coming here for the meeting of the Mystic Shrine stop at Charlotte, N. C., the home of the girl's mother. Miss Worthen died, however, before her mother could arrive.

E. L. Mauk, of American, owner and driver of the machine is under bond pending an investigation of the accident.

SLIGHT EARTHQUAKES AGAIN IN SICILY.

No Damage Reported—Continue Work of Relief for Homeless.

Catania, Italy, May 11.—Several slight earthquake shocks were registered here today, but no further damage was reported.

Army and navy and the civilian authorities continued their efforts to relieve the distress of the thousands of Sicilians who lost their homes in the earthquake which destroyed a dozen villages last week.

Official returns of the deaths gave the number at about 150, but many more may be buried in the debris. The injured total many hundreds.

WHEAT MARKET CLOSED WEAK

Suggestions of An Approach of a Billion Acre Crop in Kansas Staggered Bulls.

Chicago, May 12.—Suggestions of an approach to a billion acre harvest in Kansas staggered the bulls today in wheat. As a result the market which had started out firm, closed weak at 1-8 to 1-2c under last night. Corn finished 3-8c down to 1-8c up; oats 3-8c off to a shade advance, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 12 1-2c.

Grain and provisions close:

Wheat—May, 94½; July, 85⅝.
Corn—May, 67¾; July, 65¾.
Oats—July, 37⅛; September, 33½.
Pork—July, 19.72; September, 19.82½.
Lard—July, 10.02; September, 10.20.
Ribs—July, 11.12; September, 11.25.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 95⅝@96¼; No. 2, hard 95½@96; No. 2 Northern, 96½@97½; No. 2, Spring, 95½@96½.
Corn—No. 2, yellow, 70¼.
Oats—No No. 2 quotations; standard, 39½.

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Schr. Phillip M. Brooks, 243 tons, Saunders, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Nellie W. Craig, 468 tons, Brand, Maffitt & Wood.

Schr. Ida L. Miller, Ulsen, Maffitt & Wood.

Barges.

Barge Mattie L. Johnson, Johnson, Maffitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady 44.

ROSIN—Steady, at $3.60.

TAR—Firm, at $2.25 per barrel; in casks, 10c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, 2.75 per barrel for hard; 3.75 per barrel for dip; 3.75 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 35¾; rosin, nominal, tar, firm, 2.20; crude turpentine, 3.50, 3.75, 2.50.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine 2
Rosin 87
Tar 10
Crude Turpentine ..... —
Receipts same day last year — Spirits turpentine, 4 casks; rosin, 9 barrels; tar, (—) barrels; crude turpentine, 2 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — Spot quiet; middling, 13c.; last year, nominal.

Receipts, 19. Same day last year, 682 bales.

Total receipts, since September 1, 397,940 bales.

Total receipts, same day last year 307,332 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 9, 1914.)

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.60 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 90; good demand.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel; good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@12c.; large, good, 10c.

WOOL—Burry, 11 to 13c. per lb.; free 17c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12½c.; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—New hams, 18c.; new sides and shoulders, 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 50c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—18c. per dozen; may go higher.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18c per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., May 9.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market advancing; receipts, light; fancy hand-picked, 95c.; No. 1, machine picked, 90c.; extra choice, 85c. per bushel.

Virginias; Stronger. Fancy hand-picked, $1.05; No. 1, machine picked, $1.00 per bushel.

Spanish—Weaker, $1.25 per bushel.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, May 12.

Atlantic Coast Line—19 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 5 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar.

Str. Thelma—2 casks spirits turpentine; 1 barrel rosin; 2 barrels tar.

Schr. Mary Lee—81 barrels rosin.

Total—19 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 87 barrels rosin; 10 barrels tar.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.

Petersburg, Va., May 6.—Spanish—Farmers' Spanish weak and unsettled, $1.40 per bu.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4½c. to 4¾c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 4½c. to 4¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 4¼c. to 4½c. per lb. Prime, 4c. to 4¼c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb.

DELIVERS INTERESTING CHARGE.

Judge Bond at Wilson Convenes Superior Court.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., May 12.—With Judge W. W. Bond, of Edenton, presiding, the May term of the court for the trial of criminal cases opened this morning. Following the organization of the grand jury, Judge Bond delivered an interesting charge. In telling sentences he reminded the grand jurors of the established fact that the foundation of pure society was in the home and urged the proper parental training. Calling brief attention to their duties he mentioned the violation of the State prohibition law and insisted that regardless of individual belief every citizen must stand for law enforcement.

The first true bill was returned by the grand jury within 30 minutes and it was a bill charging Joseph Winstead with murder. Winstead shot his nephew, Luther Winstead, several weeks ago and the man died within a few minutes. Both families are well connected in the county. The trial will occur this week and much interest is manifested. Two other murder cases are on the docket, but they are negroes.

New York, May 11.—John F. Jelke, and the oleomargerine manufacturing company which bears his name, were made defendants in two government civil suits today to recover $800,000 in back taxes, with interest on oleomargarine. Jelke recently was sentenced to two years imprisonment for defrauding the government out of the 10 per cent tax of imitation butter.

STOCKS ABNORMALLY DULL

Interest in Speculation Died Away and Market Reverted to Abnormal Dullness.

New York, May 12.—Interest in speculation died away today and the stock market reverted to abnormal dullness. The market ruled slightly lower most of the day, on account of the absence of demand, but there was no pressure to sell.

Good crop prospects and the expectation of an early decision in the freight rate cases are strong factors on the constructive side.

Sentiment was more cheerful in London, and the settlement proceeded more easily than had been expected. A few stocks pulled away from the narrow movement. Harvester made a further gain. Missouri Pacific was under pressure at times, falling within a fraction of its recent low level.

Foreign exchange rates which yesterday touched the highest figures in four years, held up firmly today. Cables mounted to a new high mark at 4.8850.

Bonds were irregular. Losses of half to one point occurred in Kansas & Texas 4s, Chesapeake & Ohio convertibles, Missouri Pacific 4s and 5s, and Seaboard adjustment 5s and Mercantile Marine 4 1-2s. Total sales of bonds $2,335,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. The 4s registered were 1.10 bid previous to the final call quotations of 1.09 to 1.10 1-2.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	72½
American Agricultural	52½
American Can	27¼
American Car and Foundry	48¾
American Cities	29
American Cities, pfd	61¾
American Cotton Oil	39½
American Smelting	61⅞
American Snuff	157½
American Sugar	105½
American Tel. and Tel	122⅝
American Tobacco	256
Atchison	96¾
Atlantic Coast Line	121
Baltimore and Ohio	90¾
Canadian Pac fic	191⅞
Central Leather	35½
Chesapeake and Ohio	50⅞
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	98⅝
Erie	28⅝
General Electric	146
Great Northern, pfd	123
Illinois Central	110¾
Interborough-Met., pfd	62⅝
Kansas City Southern	26⅛
Lehigh Valley	139½
Louisville and Nashville	134
Liggett and Myers	219
Lorillard Co	169
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	16⅝
Missouri Pacific	31⅞
New York Central	92⅜
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	60
Norfolk and Western	103⅞
Northern Pacific	109⅝
Pennsylvania	111
Reading	162⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel	B. 22
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	B. 85
Rock Island Co	3⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	5⅞
St. L. and San Fran., 2nd pfd	B. 4
Seaboard Air Line	19⅝
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	53⅜
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	27
Southern Pacific	91⅛
Southern Railway	24¼
Southern Railway, pfd	78
Tennessee Copper	34⅝
Texas Co	140
Texas and Pacific	16
Union Pacific	156
United States Steel	59¼
United States Steel, pfd	108⅝
Utah Copper	53½
Virginia-Caro. Chem	26⅞
Western Union	61½

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, May 12.—Sugar—Raw firm. Molasses sugar, 3.49; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.14; refined, steady.

Butter—Quiet.

Cheese—Unsettled.

Coffee—Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 8¾; Santos, No. 4, 11¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 12½@15.

The Cotton Seed Oil—The market was quiet all day. It opened steady, with lard and cotton, but met commission house selling which weakened prices slightly in the late afternoon and the close was 5 points lower to 5 higher.

The market closed dull. Spot, 7.00@7.15; May, 7.05@7.15; June, 7.22@7.23; July, 7.30@7.32; August, 7.40@7.42; September, 7.47@7.49; October, 7.10@7.15; November, 6.01@6.80; December, 6.53@6.70. Total sales, 2,500.

MEXICAN PAID PENALTY

Executed for Murder of School Teacher in Texas.

Pecos, Texas, May 11.—Leo Cardenas Martinez, a Mexican youth, was hanged here at noon today for the murder of Miss Emma Brown, a school teacher, three years ago. The Mexican government had the case carried to the United States Supreme Court in a vain effort to save Martinez.

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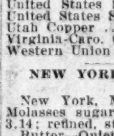

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

May 13, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 71 degrees; at 8 P. M., 71 degrees; maximum, 81 degrees; minimum, 67 degrees; mean, 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month to date, .03.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 4.7 feet.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Partly cloudy and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair.

The Port Calendar, May 13, 1914.

Sun rises	5:12 A. M.
Sun sets	7:05 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 53 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water A.M.	Low water P.M.
Wilmington	12:14	12:27	7:46	7:51
Southport	10:34	11:01	4:46	4:45
Masonboro Inlet	10:23	10:50	4:36	4:26

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.
May 12, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	raining	58	58	.08
Ashaville	pt cldy	88	52	.0
Atlanta	clear	86	64	.0
Augusta	clear	90	62	.0
Birmingham	clear	84	60	.0
Boston	cloudy	46	46	.26
Charleston	clear	80	68	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	90	66	.0
Chicago	cloudy	44	40	.48
Galveston	cloudy	80	74	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	84	66	.0
Memphis	cloudy	70	68	.0
Mobile	cloudy	82	66	.0
Montgomery	clear	84	62	.0
New Orleans	pt cldy	86	68	.0
New York	cloudy	58	50	.20
Oklahoma	cloudy	62	44	.58
Palestine	cloudy	72	68	1.06
Pittsburg	raining	88	56	.0
Raleigh	clear	92	66	.0
Savannah	clear	88	66	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	72	68	.48
St. Louis	cloudy	56	54	.02
Washington	pt cldy	92	66	.0

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 12.—Call money steady, 1¼@2; ruling rate, 1¾; closing, 1¼@2. Time loans, weak; sixty days and ninety days, 2¼; six months, 3. Mercantile paper, 3½@4. Sterling exchange, easier; sixty days, 4.8525; demand 4.8810. Commercial bills, 4.84¾. Bar silver, 58¾. Mexican dollars, 45¾. Government bonds, and railroad bonds, irregular.

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REGISTRATION AND ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an Election has been ordered by the Council of the City of Wilmington North Carolina, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of said city the question of an issue of bonds for the purpose of acquiring wharf property and transportation terminals in said city, as authorized by an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, being Chapter 184 of the Private Laws, enacted at the session of said General Assembly held in 1911. The question to be voted upon is: "Shall the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, issue bonds in an amount not exceeding Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of acquiring wharf property and other transportation terminals?"

Said election will be held on the 19th day of May, 1914, during the hours and in the manner prescribed by law, and at the places hereinafter named.

A new registration has been ordered by the Council, and all voters desiring and entitled to vote in said election are hereby notified thereof. Registration books will be opened on the 20th day of April, 1914, and be closed on the 9th day of May, 1914.

Registrars will be in attendance at the polling places hereinafter specified for their respective wards on Saturdays, to-wit: April 25th May 2nd and May 9th.

POLLING PLACES:

First Ward, First Precinct — Polling place, Kerr's store.

First Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place, corner 4th and Campbell.

Second Ward—Polling place, Court House.

Third Ward—Polling place, corner 8th and Princess.

Fourth Ward—Polling place, 104 Dock street.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct — Polling place, corner 5th and Castle.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct—Polling place, corner 6th and Castle.

REGISTRARS AND JUDGES.

First Ward, First Precinct—Registrar, Archie Seigler. Poll holders: L. F. Harper, Willie Kerr. Polling place: Kerr's store 4th and Harnett.

First Ward, Second Precinct—Registrar, P. J. Breen. Poll holders: W. H. Howe, Robert Green. Polling place: Engine House, 4th and Campbell.

Second Ward—Registrar, F. S. Shepard. Pollholders: P. M. Holmes, T. J. Klug. Polling place: Court House.

Third Ward—Registrar, W. S. Rochelle. Poll holders: Walter Penny, S. E. Wood. Polling place: Giblem Lodge, 8th and Princess.

Fourth Ward—Registrar, W. A. Spooner. Poll holders: Geo. Grotgen, F. W. Phifer. Polling place: 104 Dock street.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct—Registrar, J. R. Davis. Poll holders: W. L. Tharpe, M. M. Parker. Polling place, 5th and Castle streets.

Fifth Ward Second Precinct—Registrar, Dan Ruark. Pollholders: Harry Pyle, M. Brown. Polling place: 6th and Castle streets.

On Saturday, May 9th, the registration books will be open for challenges and such other purposes as required by law.

By order of the Council.

This 19th day of April, 1914.

THOS. D. MEARES,
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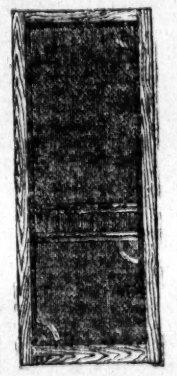

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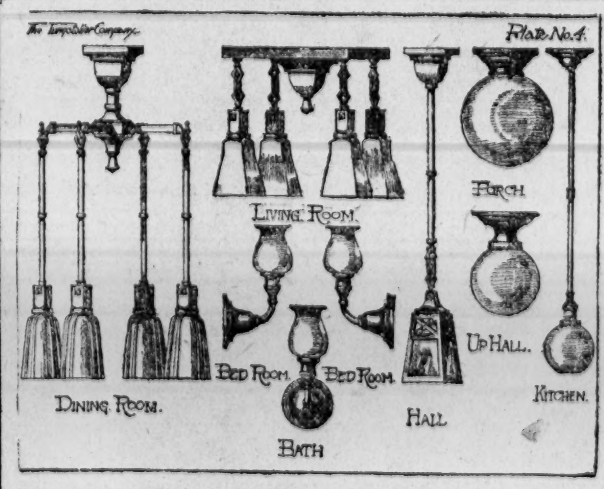

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RECEIVERS' SALE.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

Joseph H. Hinton, Martin Newman, et al., vs. Wilmington Ice and Storage Company.

By virtue and in pursuance of an order of Court made in the above entitled cause, the undersigned was duly appointed Receiver of the property belonging to the defendant in the above entitled cause, and was, by virtue and in pursuance of said order authorized empowered and directed to sell and dispose of all the property and effects belonging to the above named defendant, the Wilmington Ice and Storage Company, at public auction, at the Court House door in hte City of Wilmington, North Carolina, after advertising the same according to law.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of said order in said cause the undersigned Receiver of the Wilmington Ice and Storage Company will, on Thursday, the 21st day of May, A. D. 1914, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, expose for sale the following described piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Wilmington County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the Southern line of Dock street, at the Northwest corner of a lot of land owned by the Seamen's Friend Society and ninety-one (91) feet West from the Western line of Front street and running thence with the Southern line of Dock street Westwardly thirty (30) feet and nine (9) inches to the Eastern line of a lot formerly belonging to William A. Wright, deceased; thence Southwardly with the line of said lot, and parallel with Front street sixty-one (61) feet to the Northern line of Pott's alley; thence with said line of said alley Eastwardly thirty (30) feet and nine (9) inches to the Western line of the building of the Seamen's Friend Society, and thence with said line of said building Northwardly sixty-one (61) feet to the Southern line of Dock street, the beginning, the same being a part of Lot One (1) in Block No. 138, according to the official plan of the aforesaid City of Wilmington. Subject to a mortgage on said property of $4,000.00 held by Samuel Blossom, which mortgage is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, in Book 72, Page 43, et seq.

Also all of the machinery in that building on the South side of Dock street, between Water and Front streets, now occupied by the Wilmington Ice and Storage Company consisting of gas compression pumps, main shaft, fly-wheel, engine, ammonia condensers, pumps for circulating cooling water on condensers, all piping, suction connectors and compressors and all machinery of every nature, kind and description whatsoever in said building; subject, however, to the first lien of the York Manufacturing Company upon said property, which contract is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, in Book 73, Page 241, et seq.

Also all other personal property of every nature, kind and description whatsoever, belonging to the above named defendant the Wilmington Ice and Storage Company, consisting of platform scales, iron safe, push carts, ice hooks, ice saws, ice axes, wagon harness and sheet cork.

This sale is made subject to all first liens upon the property hereinbefore described, and the terms of the sale are cash.

HENRY T. RAUMAN,
Receiver of Wilmington Ice & Storage Co.
ap21-30d

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE

Bids will be received for the stock of goods, Book Accounts, Good Will and Store of the Holmes Grocery Company, in whole or in part until May 18th, 1914, at 12 o'clock M., at the Company's store, 6 and 8 North Front street, Wilmington, N. C., on account going out of business.

Holmes Grocery Co.

J. B. McCABE
Certified Public Accountant
Wilmington, N. C.
'Phone 1699-J. P. O. Box 1802.

MEDIATORS PLAN TO ELIMINATE HUERTA

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adherents. The alarm caused by Zapata in this district of Mexico City, and his ferocious threats against inhabitants of the capital, continued to abate in the absence of confirmatory news from Mexico City.

No Danger at Mexico City.

Dispatches received in diplomatic quarters today made no mention either of Zapata or of the military or mob uprising against Huerta which has been reported imminent and one message received from a legation at Mexico City, in response to a direct inquiry, stated explicitly that no immediate danger in either direction was apprehended. The following statement was issued by the Navy Department:

"The facts giving the details regarding the maintaining of the light on Lobos island have been received from Admiral Badger and afford a possible explanation of the impression received by Huerta that the United States had actually taken possession of the Island. The dispatch is given in its entirety and literally:

"Referring department's midnight Sunday determined that the only thing that could be construed as occupation of Lobos Island was that lighthouse keeper when leaving light was prevented from taking away with him any essential parts of light machinery and for personal protection of light keeper he was given by Commanding Officer Fanning a certificate that light was taken by force. The operation of this light is considered of greatest importance to all vessels on this coast.

"The previous telegram to which this is an addition is here repeated so the matter may be cleared up.

"Replying department's midnight Sunday destroyer flotilla is using anchorage in lee of Lobos Island as a base for fueling, provisioning and repairing. About one-half flotilla habitually there and one-half off Tampico.

"Only inhabitants of the island were lighthouse keepers, who abandoned island four or five days ago. They were offered provisions and supplies if they would remain, but declined to do so. Since then flotilla has maintained light and guarded property on shore. Lighthouse keepers were told they were free to come and go as they pleased. No occupation in military sense has occurred. (Signed)

"Badger."

Island Not Seized.

From the two telegrams it is evident that there was no intent to seize the island or to occupy it in any military sense. The light on this island is essential to navigation, not only for the ships of the navy but for the merchant vessels of all nations frequenting the coast.

Another diplomatic question that gave much concern to the officials was the intervention of the mediators in the case of the South American sulpers, who fired at the American soldiers as they were being landed at Vera Cruz. Their explanation to Secretary Bryan was that General Huerta had requested them to request the release of these men on the ground that they had been arrested in Mexican territory. As an admission of the right of the mediators to submit such a demand on this basis might easily involve such delicate questions as knowing of the Huerta government's legal existence, Secretary Bryan announced that he had decided to make a thorough investigation to learn the facts before acting in the case.

Carranza Won't Agree.

El Paso, Texas, May 12.—The plan for the pacification of Mexico now being worked out by the South American mediators and which, it is announced, would eliminate Huerta and establish a provisional government in which both the adherents of Huerta and the Constitutionalists would be represented will not be accentable to the Constitutionalists, according to Constitutionalist officers here.

Tell of Escape.

St. Louis, May 12.—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cole, refugees from Mexico City, who have arrived here en route to their native city, South Bend, Ind., today told of violent anti-American feeling in the Mexican capital at the time of their escape two weeks ago.

"The day Charge O'Shaughnessy departed we expected to be blown up at any moment," Mrs. Cole said. "Our house was included in a list of the American homes to be dynamited. This list was posted on hand bills throughout the city.

"We dared not venture cut because the house was surrounded by Mexicans all day. We finally managed to slip out and get aboard a refugee train carrying a British flag."

Mrs. Cole declared El Imparcial, the official organ of Huerta, at one time even went so far as to print an implied order from the chief of the Federal government for all Mexicans to murder "Gringoes."

A counter order over Huerta's signature, however, was printed in a later edition of the same paper after a visit of the German-British diplomats to Huerta, she said.

LYNCH STILL AT LARGE.

Reported in Lumberton and Hertford Same Day.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., May 12.—Every two or three days the Newbern police receive information to the effect that Alfred Lynch, the negro who brutally murdered Manley Hatch, keeper of the Goldsboro Lumber Company's commissary neer Richlands, a few weeks ago, has been apprehended. The latest report came from Lumberton and on the same day another report came from Hertford.

According to the information received here there was no doubt but that the man was being held at both places and this fact led the local officers to feel that the man in custody was not the one wanted and so the case proved to be. It is believed that Lynch went North a day or two after the crime and there is little probability of him being apprehended.

VITAL CHANGES IN POLICY TO BE BROUGHT UP.

In Southern Baptist Convention at Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., May 12.—Reports here tonight that vital changes in the policies of the Southern Baptist denomination would be brought up for discussion at the big Baptist convention, which convenes in Nashville tomorrow, created an undercurrent of expectancy among the hundreds of delegates who have already arrived. Representatives from 17 States will be present.

Hagerstown, W. Va., May 12.—"General" Jacob S. Coxey's army, on the march to Washington, reduced in numbers from 14 to 11 by three of the privates deserting at Clear Springs where the army campedd last night, arrived here today. The "deserters" remained to work on the State road at Indian Springs.

O'SHAUGHNESSY TELLS WILSON OF MEXICO

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been painted in some quarters, and he also told the President he did not believe the Tampico incident had been planned by Huerta to bring about trouble with the United States.

"General Huerta knew nothing about the Tampico affair," he said, "until I took it up with him."

Mr. O'Shaughnessy expressed fear for the safety of Louis d'Antin left in charge of the American embassy building. He said that d'Antin's mother was a Mexican and that the man is constantly having disputes with Mexicans ove rthe United States and in that way has made enemies.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy will continue for the present at least, to retain title of first secretary of the American embassy and will draw the salary attached to the first post. He thanked the President particularly for the courtesy shown him in havinf a warship bring him back to the United States.

ORDER RELEASE OF CONSUL SILLIMAN

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Jose Mora Del Rio, archbishop of Mexico, and the Right Rev. Jesus Maria Eschavarria, bishop of Saltillo, reached here today on a train aboard which were 80 American refugees, 18 of whom came from Saltillo.

The archbishop and bishop are on their way to lay the Mexican situation before the Pope. It is intimated that the archbishop has been summoned by the Pope. Whether he will recommend any line of action is considered doubtful, but he is convinced that the pontiff would use his office to effect a lasting peace.

The archbishop let it be known here that he has grave fears regarding the fate of thousands of non-combatants in the capital, and he expressed his belief that should the Zapata forces enter the city there would be a riot of looting, especially of the cathedral and the churches which are popularly supposed to be filled with treasure.

The archbishop's efforts in the capital for months past to induce Huerta to retire from the Presidency, are well known and, according to reliable reports, he has said on more than one occasion that he favored intervention, as he was convinced that that was the only means to restore and maintain peace in Mexico.

The alleged determination of Villa to deal severely with the dignitaries of the church and the disfavor with which the rebels, both North and South, regard those who wear robes of the church, are said to have for a basis the financial assistance which the church has extended to Huerta.

Villa Goes First.

El Paso, Texas, May 12.—Gen. Emiliano Zapata will not enter Mexico City until the capital shall have been occupied by Gen. Villa's troops and Gen. Carranza shall have established himself at Chapultepec, according to Alberto Pesquiro, confidential agent of Gen. Carranza, here today.

Pesqueiro said the numerous messages have passed between Gen. Carranza and Gen. Villa and Gen. Zapata and that a general understanding has been reached betwen them. He said Zapata had acknowledged Gen. Carranza as his chief and pledged his fealty to the Constitutionalist leader.

According to the Constitutionalist plan of campaign the divisions of the North and Northwest will attack Mexico City at the same time Zapata approaches it from the south and the Constitutionalists will enter at the same time as the southern chieftain, if they do not precede him.

Civilizing Vera Cruz.

Vera Cruz, May 12.—By Mail via New Orleans, May 13.—The Americanization of Vera Cruz goes steadily forward and everywhere there are evidences of the manifold abilities of the army and navy as advance guards of civilization.

When the American blue jackets first landed here Admiral Fletcher was at once confronted with the problem of finding means of transportation and communication between his outposts. On the customs house wharf there were three powerful motor trucks recently purchased in France for Huerta's army and awaiting shipment to Mexico City. The ranks of the blue jackets are filled with skilled mechanics. The trucks were not assembled, so the sailors began putting the parts together and in less than a day the trucks were being driven about the city placing troops and stores.

Nelson O'Shaughnessy, when American Charge at Mexico City, had ordered an automobile shipped there and this too, was pressed into service. Now since the army arrived the cars were lettered "Q. M. A. U. S. A." When General Funston established headquarters he forced the local telephone system worse than useless. Not only had many of the cables been shot to pieces in the fighting, but there were only two operators and they spoke nothing but Spanihs.

"Have the signal corps establish a telephone system," he commanded and at once army linemen began stringing wires about the town connecting outposts and the important points in the city. Within two days a modern telephone exchange was operating in Vera Cruz for official purposes. The light and power station had been put out of commission by the retreating Federals and the trolley lines which carried passengers at fares of two cents American money, stopped. While the electrical engineers of the fleet were trying to put the dynamos and generators into working order the blue jackets pressed into service many of the little burro carts which are the ordinary commercial transportation of Vera Cruz.

ALABAMA ELECTIONS.

Henderson Certain of Election by Majority of Ten Thousand Votes.

Birmingham, Ala., May 12.—With returns still incomplete tonight the majority of Charles Henderson for Governor, over former Governor B. B. Comer in yesterday's primary still stands close to 10,000. The final returns may increase or decrease this figure by a few hundred.

udge E. B. Almon has been nominated for Congress from the Eighth district to succeed the late William Richardson.

Philadelphia, May 12.—At the annual meeting here today of the American Waterworks Association, announcement was made that George G. Earle, of New Orleans, had been elected president of the organization. The vote was by mail. Purification of water is one of the main subjects under discussion by the convention.

Tokio, Japan, May 12.—Admiral Count Yamamoto and Admiral Baron Saito today were placed on the reserve list. No reason for their retirement has been assigned.

THOUSANDS MARCH IN BIG SHRINER PARADES

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Francisco and Seattle are asking for next year's meeting.

Practically every one of the 75 temples was represented tonight in the parade. The different patrols executed difficult maneuvers along the line of march, while the thousands of spectators cheered the spectacle.

In addition to the meetig of the Imperial Council tomorrow the various patrols will hold formal drills and the 45 bands will mass and play National airs.

TOLLS REPEAL VOTE IS TWO WEEKS OFF

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the canal to the opposite coast of the United States, thus in reality carrying through the canal foreign traffic in coastwise vessels without paying tolls."

The Senator reviewed the history of the Panama tolls legislation, said former President Taft was "wrong in supposing that the idea of Democratic Senators and Congressmen in voting to free the coastwise trade from tolls was to give a subsidy to our coastwise ships," and declared that "those who seek to restrict the meaning of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty by picking here a word and there a word in disregard of the entire tenor of the treaty merely disclose the unshakable fact that the treaty intended to provide for the use of the canal without discrimination against any of the citizens with respect to the conditions or charges of traffic for passing their commerce through the canal."

Mr. Smith outlined the interest which Canada and the countries of South America had in the tolls controversy, argued that the United States would not surrender by the repeal, and asserted that if a subsidy were to be gratned to any vessels "it should be given to those engaged in the foreign trade, which need help, not to those engaged in the coastwise trade already protected from foreign competition, already rich and prosperous."

BANKS ENTERING NEW AND GREATER ERA

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State, welcomed the bankers for the State. He paid tribute to the wonderful growth of the banking interests the past ten years, more especially the increase, being over 400 per cent., which he declared to be only a token of the ever increasing confidence the people have in the bankers of the State. He recited the noble manner in which the bankers came to the relief of the State financially four years ago, when the State was refunding her bonds, and the "repudiated bond" interests North were hammering on the foreign credit of the State.

He predicted that the banking interests are just now entering a new and greater era of usefulness, made possible through the Federal reserve system being inaugurated. He predicted that the rural credits problem would be worked out through the cooperation of the State and National banking interests to mutual advantage.

Mayor James I. Johnson welcomed the bankers on behalf of the city, which he assured them was as much theirs as the city's being the State Capital, with the very streets owned by the State.

President J. C. Drewry welcomed on behalf of the chamber of commerce, and E. B. Crow, president of the Commercial National Bank, on behalf of the bankers of Raleigh and the Raleigh clearing house. He predicted that soon there would be a sparkling and refreshing "branch" flowing from Richmond to Raleigh, in which all the bankers of the State would be welcomed to come and wade at will.

To all these welcomes, Mr. Daniel responded eloquently and with charming wit and humor, even to the extent of assuring Mr. Crow that they all would come as the seasons require and wade in that Federal reserve branch, of which he had spoken.

Business sessions begin tomorrow morning. Hon. John Skelton Williams, Comptroller of the Currency, arrives in the afternoon, and will speak tomorrow night. Many social features are arranged for the bankers, and the ladies who accompany them.

Messrs. H. C. McQueen, C. E. Taylor, Jr., Thos. E. Cooper and W. C. Denny are the local bankers who are attending the annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association in session at Raleigh. Mr. Cooper is first vice president of the association, and will be elected to the presidency at the meeting this year, in accordance with the usual custom of elevating the first vice president to the head of the association. The local bankers will extend to the association an invitation to meet at Wrightsville Beach next year.

Washington, May 12.—Senator Culberson, of Texas, who has been absent from Washington for several months suffering from nervous prostration, today returned to the city. He did not appear at his office, however, and was not present when the Senate re-convened.

Leeds, Eng., May 12.—A hunger and thirst strike brought about the release today of Lillian Lenton, a militant suffragette, sentenced on May 8th to a year's imprisonment for setting fire to Westfield House, Doncaster.

The Hague ,Netehrlands, May 12.—A third international conference on the opium question has been called here for June 15.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Victoria—Vaudeville.
Bijou—Motion Pictures.
Fidelity T. & D. Co.—Notice.
Grand Theatre—Motion Pictures.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Position.
Wanted—Kalsomining.
Wanted—Young Man.
Lost—Bunch of Keys.
Wanted—Stenographer.
Wanted—Position at Beach.
Wanted—Unfurnished Rooms.
Wanted—Dressmaking to Do.
Wanted—Stenographic Work.
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Business Local

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No. 51. Messengers will also call for Telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office. No. 51. Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

POSITION WANTED — Want position with Beach people for season. Have had four years experience in beach work; also 15 years in general merchandise business in city. Can furnish references; also bond, if necessary. Answer at once "Job Wanted," P. O. Box 491. my13-5t*

WANTED—Position with wholesale or retail grocery house. Have had several years' experience. References, if desired. Address "Business," care Star. my13-1t*

WEDNESDAY SPECIAL—Carnations at Woodall & Sheppard's and Orton Confectionery, at 50 cents per dozen. Will Reider. my13-1t

WANTED — Stenographic work during remainder of May. Several years' experience. Address "M. R.," care Star. my12-2t

LOST—At Marion, S. C., or on train for Wilmington, Friday, May 8th, ring of keys. No initials on ring. Finder will receive reward by returning to this office. my13-3t

WANTED—To do your kalsomining and interior painting. Bath tubs enameled. Prices reasonable and work guaranteed. John Leak, 718 Church street; 'Phone 1379-W. my13-1t*

WANTED—To rent, 3 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Rent must be reasonable. Near A. C. L. office. Address "A. E.," care Star. my13-1t*

WANTED—A good stenographer; lady preferred; would like one with fair knowledge of figures. Good salary. Permanent position. P. O. Box 325. my13-2t

THE WILMINGTON Public Typewriting Company, 108 Princess Bldg. are now fully equipped, and are prepared to do your work—billing, stenographic, circular and tabulating. Dictate to a typist, stenographer or dictaphone. Satisfaction guaranteed, and we solicit your business. my13-tf

FASHIONABLE New York Dressmaker. Work executed on short notice, at reasonable prices. Miss A. Tuchfeld, 816 North Third street, between Brunswick and Bladen. my13-10t*

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AN APARTMENT of two rooms and bath, furnished or unfurnished, for rent in the splendid Carolina Apartment House, Market and Fifth streets. Cafe in the Carolina. Rent includes water, sewerage, elevator, etc., J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate Agents. my10-3t

LOST—Gold seal, with initials W. G. C. with watch fob attached, either on the way to or from or at Oakdale cemetery. Finder please return to Owner, care Morning Star, and be liberally rewarded. my12-1t

NOTICE—The Greenfield Market will be open to the public May 15th, under entirely new management, with a complete line of fancy groceries, meats, country produce, etc. 'Phone 970-J. my12-4t*

PORTABLE HOUSES for rent at the beach. Located on Lumina property. Can be rented for the season or by the month. All houses have hard wood floors, screened windows and doors, electric lights. Convenient arrangements for water and sewerage. For particulars, apply to Tidewater Power Company. my10-3t

EXTRA CHOICE Spring native lamb today. Choice beef, veal and pork. Nice dressed chickens. All kinds of vegetables, fruits and fancy groceries. Country eggs, N. C. and Smithfield hams. Strawberries. Palace Market, 108 So. Front street; 'phone 72. my9-tf

MRS. PAUL CANTWELL will have a May dance for her afternoon dancing class on Saturday, May 16, in Woolvin Hall. Fancy dances will be a special feature of the dance, including the May Pole, the ballet, flower dance, the Spanish dance, the minuet, the maxixe, etc., in which the children are being trained by Miss Cantwell. Dancing commences at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. ma 13-15-16-3t.

FOR SALE—Timber on 200 acres of land, five or six miles west of Acme, N. C., on the Cape Fear river. Timber on this land has never been cut. Sealed bids for this timber will be received until June 1st, 1914. Parties wishing to be shown over the land, which is known as the Black Rock property on Cape Fear river, can be accommodated by seeing or writing Mr. Bruce King, Armour, N. C. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids. I. B. Tucker, F. T. Wooten, Agents, Whiteville, N. C. ma 3-6t.

THE RURAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION will open the 29th Series on Saturday, June 6th, 1914. You can subscribe for stock now. Easiest way to save money or own your home. R. C. DeRosset, Pres. James Owen Reilly, Secretary and Treasurer. my10-5t

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the People's Building and Loan Association will be held Wednesday, May 27th at 8 P. M., at 112 Princess street. D. R. Foster, Secretary and Treasurer. my10-tf

THE N C SOCIETY of Colonial Dames will run its annual picnic excursion to Old Brunswick Thursday, May 15, 1914. The public is cordially invited to attend. Price, 50 cents. my10-3t

SCREENS—We are prepared to make and hang your screen doors and windows. 'Phone us your orders. No. 1471. 1013 S. Front street. my10-6t*

FOR RENT—Building and basement annex formerly occupied by Morning Star office. Twenty-two feet front by 60 feet depth; three floors. Possession given at once. Apply to J. H. Hinton, or at Morning Star office, 109 Chestnut st. ap8-tf

FASHIONABLE New York Dressmaker. Work executed on short notice at reasonable prices. Miss A. Tuchfeld, 816 North Third street. my10-12t*

ALL VARIETIES of cow peas for planting. B. Roney & Co., Memphis, Tenn. ap12-eod2mo

CARR WELL DRILLING Company, Goldsboro, N. C. Expert well drillers. Wells drilled anywhere. Write for particulars. my1-tf,su,w-9t

FOR SALE—Stock of shoes, inventory cost value, $1,000, and one iron safe, cost value $250. Property of Mercer & Evans Co. To close out entire stock will sell as a whole at a fraction of original cost. If interested, see H. C. McQueen, Trustee. ap26-4u,w-3w

A SPECIAL BARGAIN in two Baby Grand Pianos, shipped to Wilmington through mistake. Address "Music," care Star. my6-w,f,su-3t

FOR SALE—Modern eight room house at Park Gardens, on one-acre lot. Can good terms for responsible party. Narrow, Champion Compress. ap5-tf

FOR SALE—Two large iron kettles, 20 barrel capacity, respectively. Suitable for making pitch or boiling other. W. A. Martin, P. O. Box 75, or Building, Second floor. my8-5t

BANANAS—You'll always find 'em at Wilmington Fruit Exchange. 'Phone 1. North Water street. my8-6t

IF YOU GOING to war? See Uncle Sam for a good suit case or trunk. No. 1 Front street. Just a whisper from Ice Cream Parlor. 'Phone 642. ap23-tf

ANYTHING A TINNER can do we have it. Anything that a plumber can do, we have it also. No jobs too large; none too small. 108-110 North Second street; 'phone 1132. Capps-Griffith Plumbing Co. mh28-tf

OLD NEWSPAPERS FOR SALE—Excellent for placing under carpets or for wrapping paper. While they last 10 cents per hundred. Second floor, Star Office. ap8-tf

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed by J. L. Treadwell and wife to the Kentucky Horse and Mule Company, under date of the 31st day of December, 1912, and duly recorded in Book 70, Pages 456 et seq., in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, default having been made thereunder, the undersigned mortgagee will expose for sale, for cash, to the highest bidder, at the Third street door of the Court House in New Hanover County, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Friday, May 22nd, 1914, the following described parcel or lot of land, to-wit: Beginning in the Northern line of Meares street at a point one hundred and thirty-two feet Eastwardly from the Northeast intersection of Meares and Sixteenth streets and runs thence Northwardly and parallel with Sixteenth street Ninety-One and Five-Tenths feet to a stake; thence Eastwardly and parallel with Meares street, Thirty-Three feet to a point; thence Southwardly and parallel with Sixteenth street Ninety-One and Five-Tenths feet to a point in the Northern line of Meares street; thence Westwardly along said Northern line of Meares street Thirty-Three feet to the point of beginning; the same being Lot 32 in Block 529, according to the plan and survey of Hanover Heights, as recorded in Book 62 Page 450, of the Public Records in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County.

This 22nd day of April, 1914.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from J. C. Hankins and wife, Carrie D. Hankins, to Co-Operative Building and Loan Association, registered in Book 50, page 592, in the payment of which mortgage default has been made, the undersigned mortgagee will, on the 8th day of June, 1914, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction for cash, the lands and premises described in said mortgage, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of The Southern line of Nun street with the eastern line of Wilson street, runs thence eastwardly along said line of Nun street 66 feet, thence Southwardly and parallel with Eighth street 132 feet; thence Westwardly and parallel with Nun street 66 feet to the Eastern line of Wilson street, and thence Northwardly along the Eastern line of said street 132 feet to the corner the beginning, being part of the middle of Lots 1 and 2, in Block 106, according to the official plan of Wilmington, N. C.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1914.

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